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Pictured above are Citizens Bank employees Alice Gevedon, Angie Gibbs, Branch Manager Cody Prater, Sharrina Ferguson and Shanna Barker inside their newly-constructed building at 335 Prestonsburg St. The new bank opened for business on Tuesday. Bank officials are currently planning a grand opening event for Saturday, April 6.

New Citizens Bank facility is officially open for business

Grand opening event is tentatively scheduled for Saturday, April 6th

By Miranda M. Cantrell

Citizens Bank officials celebrated the opening of their new Alpha M. Hutchinson branch on Tuesday, Feb. 19, at their 335 Prestonsburg St. location following the 2012 tornado's destruction of the original building.

The previous Citizens Bank building — which sustained severe tornado damage — was razed to make room for a larger and more modern facility on the bank's original lot and adjacent Tommy's Market property.

The Pennsylvania-based construction management firm of P.W. Campbell oversaw the erection of the building, which

began last September.

Branch Manager Cody Prater said the new facility — which is significantly larger than the previous structure — promotes customer convenience.

"Parking will definitely be more convenient," Prater said. "There will be a three-lane drive-thru with ATM machines and drop boxes. We will also have new technology inside the bank that will make transactions faster for customers."

Citizens Bank President and CEO Bob Neff — son-in-law of the late Citizens Bank President Alpha Hutchinson — expressed his commitment to Morgan County during a ground breaking ceremony last fall.

"There was never any question that Citizens Bank would rebuild in West Liberty," Neff said. "The citizens of Morgan

County are tremendous people. God bless them."

Judge Executive Tim Conley lauded Citizens Bank officials for their commitment to Morgan County.

"This facility will be a cornerstone showplace for West Liberty," Conley said. "Citizens Bank is making a lifetime

investment in our community. This is another great day for Morgan County."

Prater said that he and his staff members — who had operated inside IGA since the tornado — look forward to serving customers from their new

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School board faces unfavorable budget projections next yr.

Federal education cuts anticipated; KSBIT announces assessment

By Miranda M. Cantrell

The Morgan County Board of Education anticipates a significant reduction in federal funding for the 2013 school year following a Jan. 28 budget update from the district finance team.

The projected budget shows an increase in expenditures and a decrease in revenue as a result of a 10 percent cut to federal programs if Congress does not reach a compromise in regard to raising the federal debt ceiling by March as outlined in the Budget Control Act of 2011.

State officials estimate that federal school funding would be cut by \$61 million annually over the next decade to affect more than 1,350 jobs and nearly 130,000 students.

Federal grants currently fund 24 teaching and 2.5 support staff positions in the local school district.

In addition, local revenue is also expected to decrease due to the 2012 tornadoes' destruction of private and public property.

Superintendent of Schools

Deatrah Barnett said the board continues to address these issues in hopes of preventing employment cuts.

"We had tried to plan for the reduction in state and federal funds," Barnett said. "But no one could have planned for the devastating loss of property that came on Feb. 29 and March 2, 2012. We are working diligently and looking at every possible scenario to be able to keep all our staff members next year."

At the Jan. 28 meeting, board members heard an in-depth breakdown of projected expenditures for the 2013-2014 school year, including a \$600,000 payroll increase.

The board attributes the increase to the following:

✓ An increase in the district's contribution to the state employee pension program.

✓ The 1 percent pay increase for district employees approved on Nov. 8.

✓ A \$1 per hour pay increase for the lowest-paid district employees.

✓ The salary step increase for all employees next year.

KSBIT Assessment

Another unanticipated expenditure is the a \$501,545 assessment figure resulting from the disbandment of the Ken-

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Elliott County woman is hurt in Ky. 7 collision

A Sandy Hook woman was hospitalized Monday with injuries sustained in a collision on Ky. 7 near Wrigley.

State Police at Morehead said Betty Salyers, 59, of Sandy Hook was injured when her

2008 Chevrolet Impala collided with a 2002 International rollback operated by Sammy Lewis, 61, of West Liberty.

Police said Lewis was at-

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Tornado memorial service is scheduled March 2

There will be a county-wide service to commemorate the one-year anniversary of the 2012 tornado on Saturday, March 2, on Main Street. The event will include entertainment, refreshments and a memorial service at 5:47 p.m. Memory lanterns will be released in honor of the seven tornado victims. Look for further details in next week's edition of The Licking Valley Courier.

Grand opening begins today and will run through Saturday

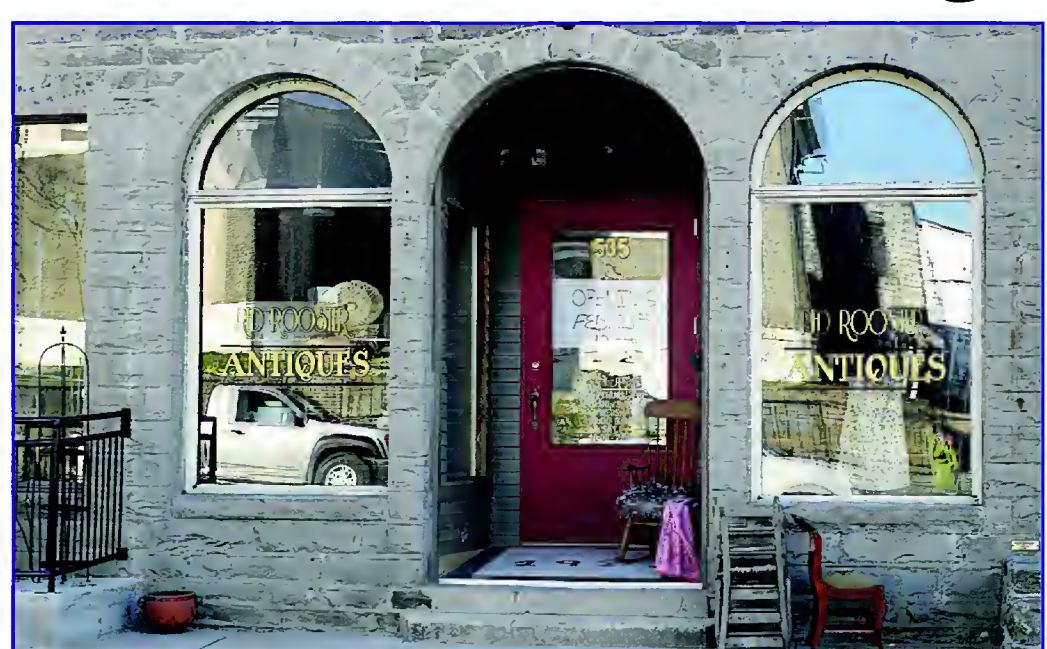
By Miranda M. Cantrell

Two Main Street shopkeepers are hosting a grand opening event today, Thursday, Feb. 21, through Saturday, Feb. 23, to celebrate the completion of extensive post-tornado repairs to their store.

Red Rooster Antiques owners Eddie and Sherri Granger rebuilt their 527 Main St. shop with items salvaged from various sites throughout the downtown disaster area last spring.

"It was a massive cleanup effort," Sherri Granger said. "We wanted to keep the old structure and work with what was left after the tornado, but probably 80 percent of our store is refurbished with recycled items. We collected wood flooring, tin and other items from several damaged buildings in West Liberty. As antique dealers, we see this as an opportunity to preserve local history."

The Grangers lost much of their inventory to the tornado, but have since re-stocked the store with a wide variety of



Pictured above is the front of the Red Rooster Antiques building renovated by store owners Eddie and Sherri Granger. The shop is stocked with a wide variety of high-end and primitive antique items, and includes a sitting area with wi-fi service. A grand opening event will begin today and run through Saturday.

antiques.

"We have been buying antiques during the rebuilding process," Eddie Granger said. "We have high-end furniture, primitive pieces and possibly the largest selection of glass

items in Eastern Kentucky. We travel from Florida to Chicago and everywhere in between looking for items."

In addition to antiques, the Grangers will also offer Gooseberry Patch cookbooks,

McCall's and Primitive Glow candles and framed photographs from the Morgan County Photography Club.

"We also have a sitting area

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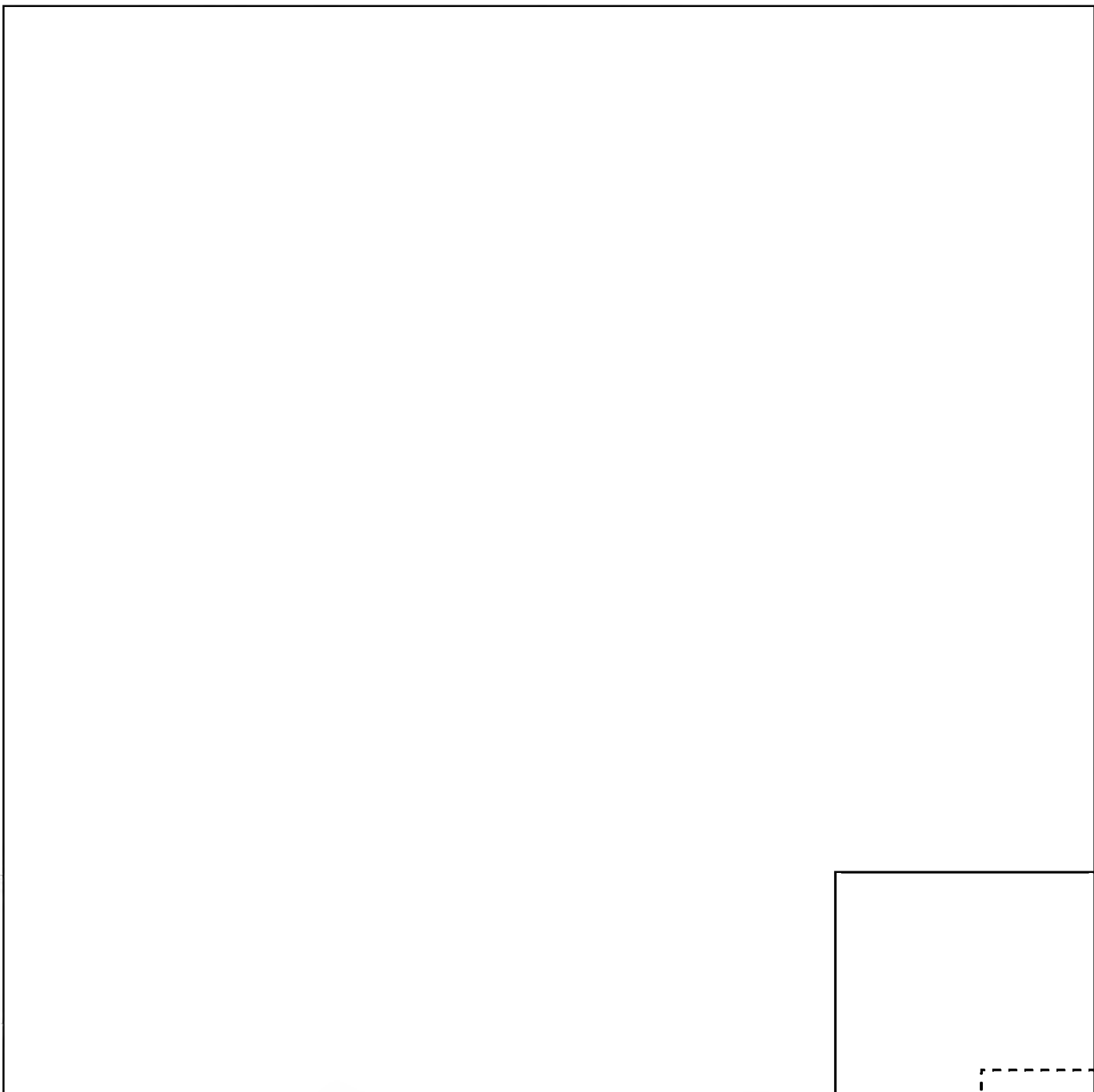
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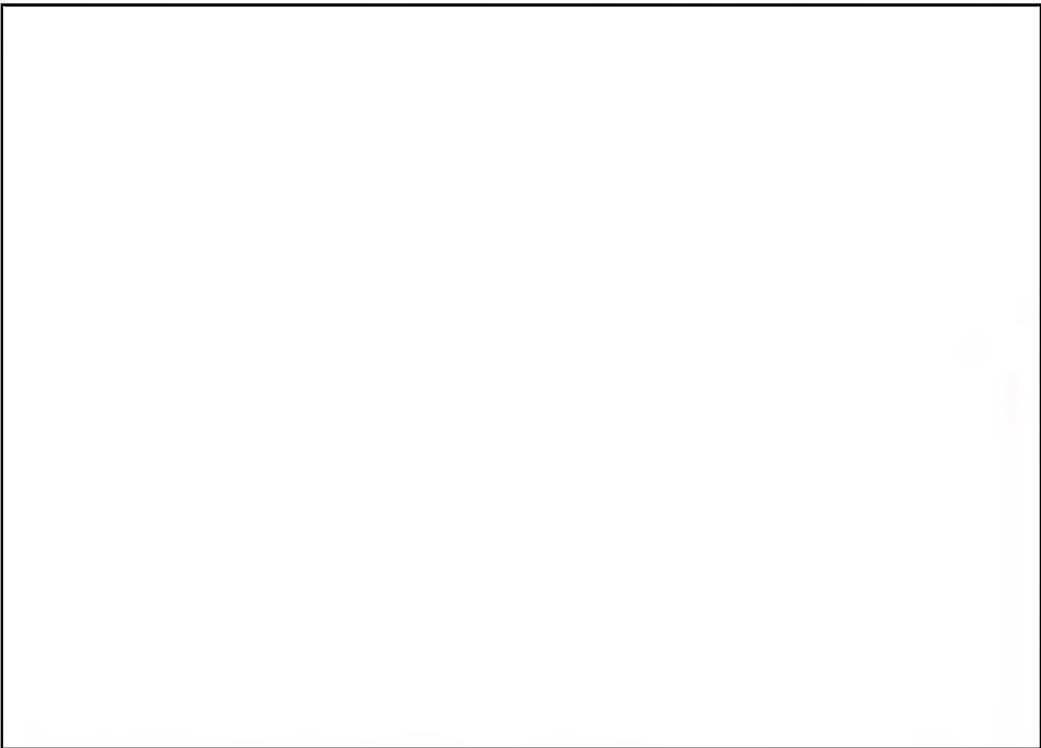
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Ky. 172 realignment and modernization underway in Morgan; two other sectors set for start in 2014



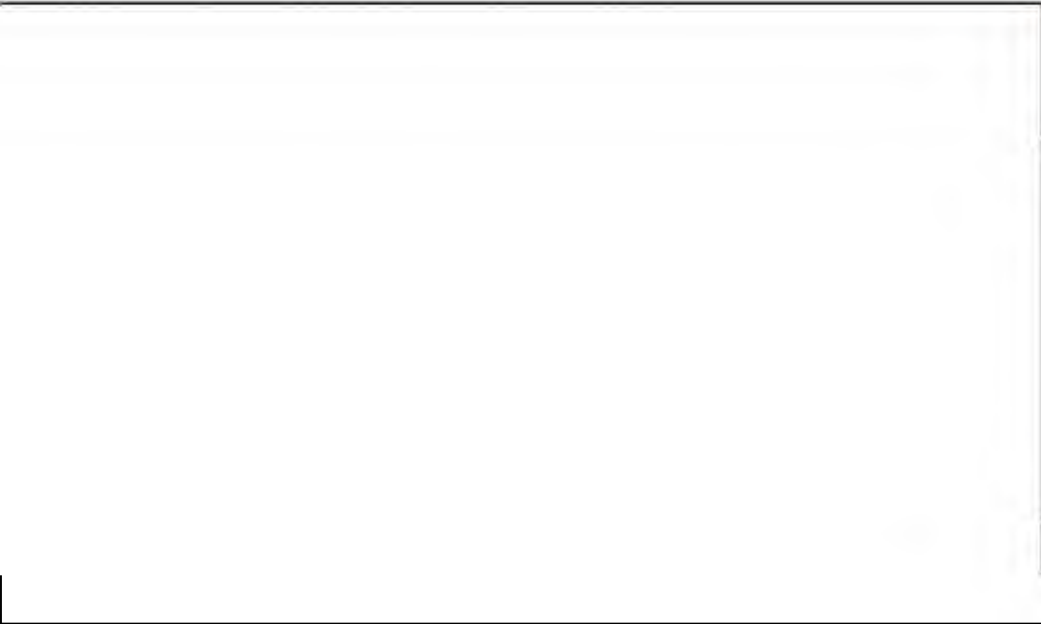
Outlined above is Ky. 172 sector where reconstruction and realignment are currently underway. Two of the other three sectors outlined at right are scheduled for construction starts in 2014.



Realignment will include this new "cut" to straighten the route between the Elkfork community and Crockett. This view is looking westward toward West Liberty.



This view of the construction now in progress looks north toward the junction of Ky. 172 and Deadnen Branch Road near Crockett.



Right-of-way construction for Ky. 172 realignment bisects present route.

The first of four separate projects to realign and modernize Ky. 172 between West Liberty and Paintsville is changing the landscape between milepoint 10.4 at Elkfork and milepoint 13.0 near Crockett in eastern Morgan County (see map below). Frederick & May Construction Co. of West Liberty, which began work on this sector last summer, is expected to complete the construction either late this year or in the spring of 2014.

A second phase of reconstruction between milepoints 2 and 5, which includes the Lenox community (see map), is scheduled to begin next year. This sector, which will connect with the new 172 sector built a few years ago to eliminate the treacherous Lick Branch Hill near West Liberty, is currently in the right-of-way acquisition and utility relocation phase.

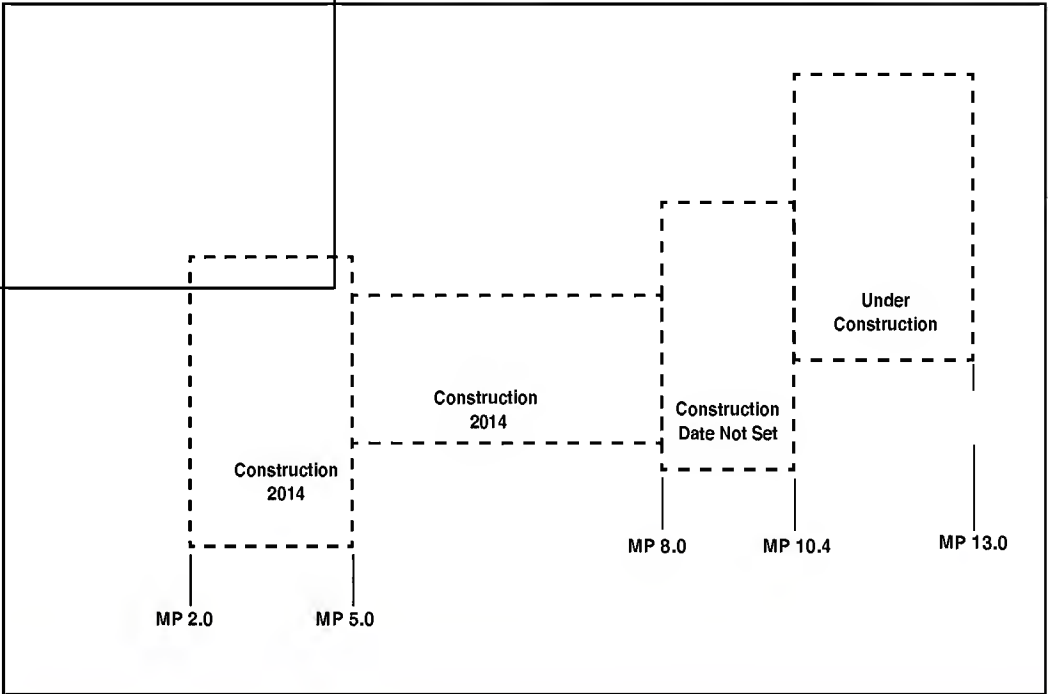
Also in the right-of-way acquisition and utility relocation phase is the sector of Ky. 172 between milepoints 5 and 8. It is tentatively scheduled for a construction start in 2014 (see map).

The next phase of the proposed reconstruction in Morgan County will be between milepoints 8 and 10.4 (see map). While right-of-way and utility relocation negotiations for this sector have been authorized, the timetables for these phases are subject to funding availability.

When the Ky. 172 project is fully completed, the new, route, which will include three-laning on the hills, will allow motorists between West Liberty and Paintsville to bypass the present narrow, winding road that follows the meanderings of Elk Fork Creek and Open Fork of Paint Creek in Morgan and Mud Lick in Johnson County..

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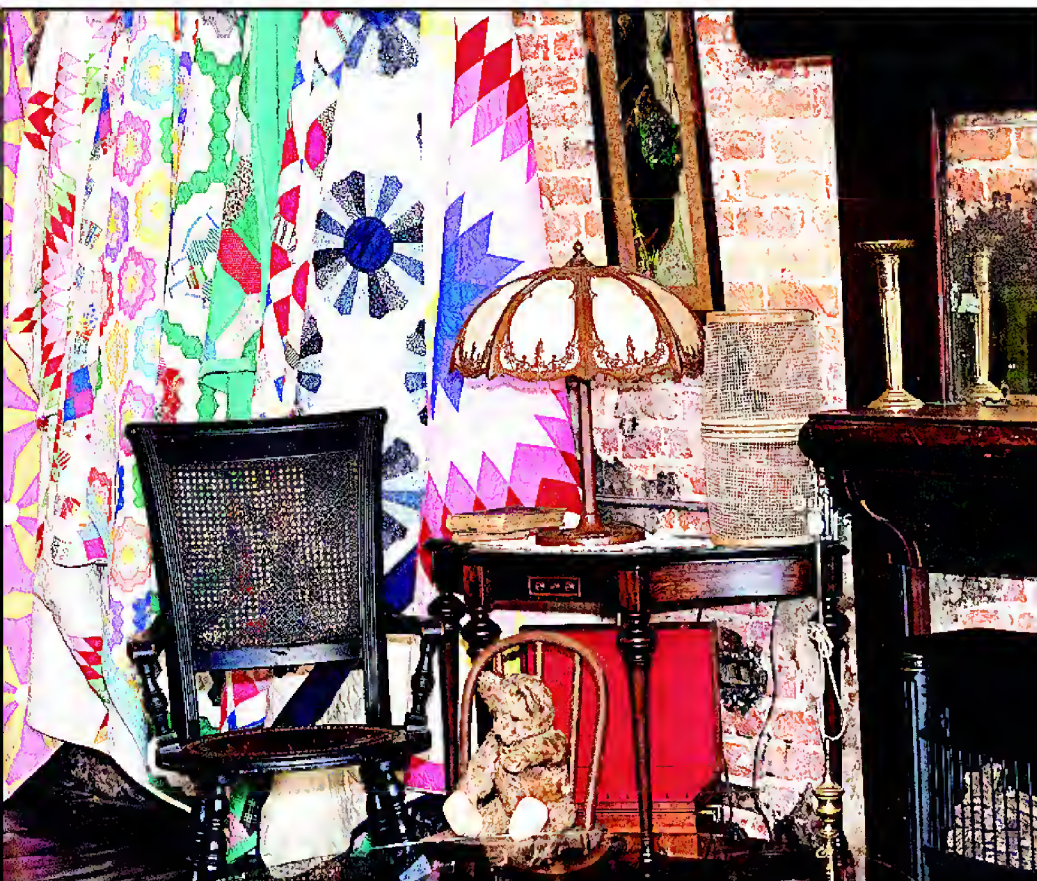
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Pictured above are items on display inside Red Rooster Antiques, which opened to the public today. Owners Eddie and Sherri Granger offer many high-end and primitive antique items, and have refurbished the store with recycled items salvaged from tornado-damaged buildings.

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Opening ...

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for people who just want to come in off the street," Sherri Granger said. "There is a fireplace and wi-fi service so people can come in and enjoy a cup of coffee, etc."

Building renovations were completed by J-Tec Builders, numerous volunteers from the Long Term Recovery program and the Grangers themselves, who also plan to refurbish the adjacent Russell Williams building they purchased in the tornado aftermath.

"We have so many people to thank for the hours they put in on this shop," Eddie Granger said. "We are excited about eventually renovating our other building."

The couple hopes the Red Rooster's re-opening is the beginning of a Main Street revival.

"Numerous people saw us working on our building over the past several months and thanked us for rebuilding on Main Street," Sherri Granger said. "We are staying here and are willing to invest in the community, and we also hope that others will be inspired to do the same."

Eddie Granger noted last March that he and his wife - Florida natives who moved to Morgan County in 2008 - originally set up shop in West Liberty because of the lifestyle the town represents.

"My wife and I drove through West Liberty and fell in love with this quaint little town," Granger said. "We must work together to bring the town back. Things may not look exactly the same, but many business owners are willing to rebuild. With enough inspiration, we can do this together."

Red Rooster Antiques business hours are 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Friday; 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Wednesday; and 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday. For more information call 743-2909 or visit the shop located at 527 Main St.

Wreck ...

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tempting to back into a private drive on the southbound side of the highway when Salyers' vehicle struck the driver's side of the truck bed.

Salyers was airlifted from the scene to St. Mary's Medical Center in Huntington, W.Va., where she was lifted as having non-life threatening injuries.

Lewis was unhurt.

The accident remains under investigation by Trooper Royse Collett.

Budget ...

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tucky School Board Insurance Trust (KSBIT) program, which will cease to provide low-cost property, liability and workers' compensation insurance services to all 174 Kentucky school districts on June 30.

The dissolution will require Kentucky school districts to pay off a total of \$50-\$60 million KSBIT deficit over the next 20 years.

KSBIT has outlined three options for the school districts to pay its share of the assessment:

- ✓ The district can pay the assessment over a 10-year period.
- ✓ The district can pay the assessment over 20-year period.
- ✓ The district can pay the assessment in one lump sum.

Board Chairman Marshall Jenkins said the board is currently reviewing payment options.

"We will have to wait until we receive the final assessment from KSBIT," Jenkins said.

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Tuesday, Feb. 26--Pinto beans/ham, potato and carrots, cooked cabbage, corn bread, margarine, fruit cocktail, milk.

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Legislative Update

From
State Rep. John Will Stacy

Feb. 15 — The Kentucky House of Representatives has a long standing record of protecting, educating and promoting our children through legislative action. This week we passed several bills that will keep us true to that mission.

House Bill 224 would raise the high school dropout age gradually by increasing the compulsory attendance age from 16 to 17 on July 1, 2017 and from age 17 to 18 on July 1, 2018. Having that high school diploma is more important than ever as jobs are highly competitive, a highly trained workforce is in demand and the military and other employers require a diploma. House Bill 224 passed the House by a vote of 87-10 and now goes to the Senate for consideration.

A measure to strengthen Kentucky's human trafficking laws to better enforce the rising incidence of crimes against children passed the House this week with a vote of 95-0. House Bill 3 will provide a "safe harbor" from prosecution for child victims of human trafficking; primarily target individuals who exploit children by increasing penalties and prison sentences; and provide better training for victims, advocates and law enforcement to recognize signs of human and child trafficking so action can be taken more quickly and appropriately. We hope House Bill 3 will be given swift action in the Senate so that efforts to curb human trafficking can be accelerated.

To stem child fatalities on Kentucky roadways, House Bill 282 would increase children's height requirements for booster seats. Currently children must use booster seats until they reach 50 inches in height or the age of seven. The new law would require booster seats for children less than nine years old and between 40 and 57 inches in height. Requiring older children to use booster seats should decrease child vehicular fatalities in the future. House Bill 282 passed with a vote of 61-37.

Childhood obesity is an epidemic across the United States and according to studies by the Foundation for a Healthy Kentucky, Kentucky ranks high in childhood obesity and overweight adults. Providing

The Judge's Corner

By Tim Conley
Morgan County Judge/Executive

Hello from Judge Tim Conley, wife Tammy, staff and employees.

Do you remember the first car you owned when you got your driver's license and begun to drive? What a feeling that was! Let me start back a few years earlier. I was thirteen years old when Leova Lewis called up to the house and asked Mommy if one of us boys would like to work for her and Kennell in the tobacco. I told them I would and that began a long career in tobacco farming.

William LeMaster and I helped set, hoe, cut, hang and strip tobacco for many years. I think I worked for Kennell for about fifteen years, starting at thirteen years old. I would get home from school around four o'clock and be on the farm by five o'clock and usually worked until about nine o'clock. Sundays was the only day I did not work. It was the Lord's day and we were raised to respect it and have a day of rest. After a few months of tobacco work I could afford a new 26 inch bicycle to ride to work. I went to Western Auto there on Main Street and picked out one with white wall tires. I got me a headlight for the handlebars and I rode this bicycle to work. At night I would switch on my light and ride home.

I was still moving yards and working with other farmers between my steady work with Kennell and Leova. During stripping tobacco time I remember every night about 7:00 p.m. Leova would go feed the dogs and she would always bring back a snack for us in the barn. A cold Cocoa-Cola and two oatmeal cream pies. Occasionally she would swap them out and bring raisin cream pies.

I knew that Mommy and Daddy could not buy me a car. If I wanted one I would have to work and save up the money. Daddy also raised tobacco and each year they would try to start a small savings account for one of us kids. Having a job on the farm, I started my own bank account before it was my turn from Mommy and Daddy. I remember Mommy and Daddy taking me to the bank and I deposited \$75.00. I was on my way to buying my first car. I was only thirteen, but looking for that sixteenth birthday. I guess I will have to continue this story next week to let you know what I bought.

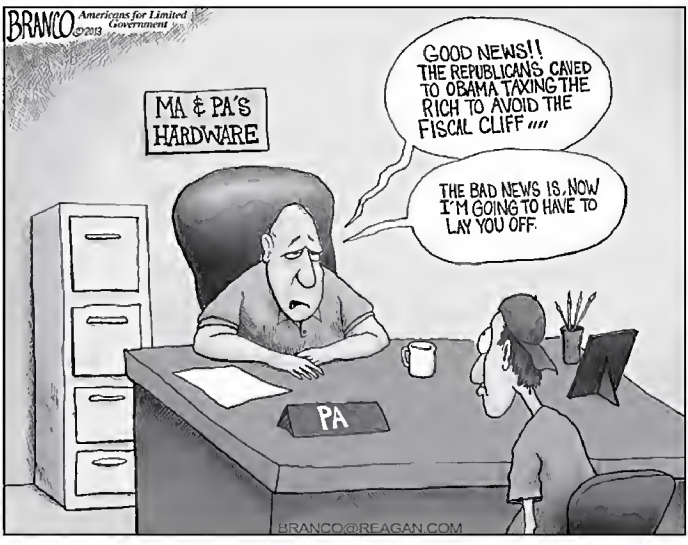
You can reach me at 450 Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty, KY 41472, telephone: (606) 743-3897.

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A Progress Report from Judge Conley

With everything that has happened over the past year we have decided to add a progress report from time to time to my Judge's Corner.

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Ky.'s senators sponsor industrial hemp bill

Hemp Farming Act introduced last week in U.S. Senate

WASHINGTON, D.C., Feb. 14 — Sen. Rand Paul and Senate Republican Leader Mitch McConnell, both of Kentucky, joined Oregon Democratic Sens. Jeff Merkley and Ron Wyden in introducing legislation to allow American farmers to cultivate and profit from industrial hemp.

The Industrial Hemp Farming Act of 2013 would remove federal restrictions on the domestic cultivation of industrial hemp. Specifically, the bill would remove hemp from the Schedule I controlled substance list under the Controlled Substances Act of 1970, and would define it as a non-drug so long as it contained less than 0.3 percent tetrahydrocannabinol (THC).

Prior to World War II, Kentucky provided 94 percent of the nation's industrial hemp. Today the U.S. is the world's largest consumer of hemp, but it remains the only major industrialized country that bans farming the product. U.S. imports have consistently grown over the past decade — increasing by 300 percent over that period.

Earlier in the week, the Kentucky State Senate Agriculture Committee unanimously approved legislation that would set up a state permitting program for the growth of industrial hemp. And today, the Kentucky Senate passed SB

50, which establishes oversight for Kentucky farmers to cultivate legalized industrial hemp. It now awaits a vote in the Kentucky House of Representatives.

"The Industrial Hemp Farming Act paves the way to creating jobs for Kentucky," Sen. Paul said. "Allowing American farmers to cultivate industrial hemp and benefit from its many uses will boost our state's economy and bring much-needed jobs in the agriculture community. Today's State Senate victory, coupled with the efforts Sen. McConnell and I are making here in Washington increase my confidence that they will soon pay off, to the benefit of Kentuckians."

"I am proud to introduce legislation with my friend Rand Paul that will allow Kentucky farmers to harness the economic potential that industrial hemp can provide," Sen. McConnell said. "During these tough economic times, this legislation has the potential to create jobs and provide a boost to Kentucky's economy and to our farmers and their families."

The Industrial Hemp Farming Act of 2013 is the Senate companion bill to H.R. 525, which was introduced last week in the House with 28 original co-sponsors.

House panel OKs bill to monitor special districts

FRANKFORT — Kentucky's special taxing districts would be required to submit data about who they are and how the money they raise is spent under legislation that has been approved by the House of Representatives.

House Speaker Greg Stumbo, D-Prestonsburg, the sponsor of House Bill 1, told the Local Government Committee that his legislation is designed to bring transparency to how taxpayers' money is being spent while ensuring continuity of services to Kentuckians. He has worked on the legislation and presented the bill with State Auditor Adam Edelen, who has reported that Kentucky has over 1,200 special districts that spend \$2.7 billion of public money per year.

"If you look at the magnitude of these special districts... it is remarkable that we've had so few problems with them. That's a testament to the fine Kentuckians who serve all across the Commonwealth on the library boards, the water boards, and all the special districts boards," Stumbo said.

"This is not something that is a reaction to bad conduct," Stumbo said, adding that a special district may not be completely aware of what is expected of them by the state. "This is an attempt to clarify (by law) to make sure that they have a clear path as to what reporting requirements they need to

that "choose to go outside the process," as Edelen said, to be dissolved by law.

Special districts and similar entities would have to register with the Department for Local Government by the end of this year under HB 1, Edelen said. The centralized registry would go online in the fall of 2014.

17,200 mile miss closest on record for an asteroid

A 130,000-ton asteroid passed by the Earth on Friday, Feb. 15, passing within the orbit of the moon and closer to the Earth than many communications satellites.

Planetary experts said the 150-foot-wide asteroid made the closest-known approach of such a large piece of cosmic debris since pace experts started tracking objects that intersect Earth's path.

Big enough to destroy a major city, the asteroid passed within 17,200 miles of the planet, the National Aeronautics and Space Agency said.

The asteroid caused no damage to communications satellites and no problems on the planet's surface and its near-miss had been predicted by astronomers.

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Area Deaths

Ivory May Wallin

Ivory May Wallin, of West Liberty, KY, passed away Tuesday, Feb. 12, 2013, at Morgan County ARH at the age of 88 years, 10 months and 20 days.

She was born on Sunday, March 23, 1924, in Terryville, KY, a daughter of the late Isaac C. and Louisa Ferguson Skaggs.

Ivory was united in marriage to Goble Wallin. This union was blessed with two children, Lovell and James. She was a homemaker, devoting her life to care for her family and her home. She was also a Christian and a member of the New Salem Church.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Goble Wallin; one grandson, Greg McKenzie; and two brothers, Ford Skaggs and Furl Skaggs.

Survivors include her daughter

ter and son-in-law, Lovell and Phillip McKenzie, of West Liberty, KY; her son and daughter-in-law, James and Teresa Wallin, of West Liberty, KY; four grandchildren, Jenny and Rob Ison, Jason and Sarah Wallin, Amber and Lawrance Craft, and Leatha McKenzie; six great-grandchildren, Tanner McKenzie, Layla McKenzie, Katie Ison, Cameron Ison, Breanna Craft and Annabelle Wallin; three brothers, Foster and Willadean Skaggs, Luther and Clotene Skaggs, and Herman and Phyllis Skaggs; one sister, Esta Kelley; and two sisters-in-law, Peggy Skaggs and Wilma Lemaster.

Funeral services were conducted 11 a.m., Saturday, Feb. 16, at New Salem Church with Bro. Rob Ison, Bro. Rick Keaton and Bro. Bob Williams officiating. Burial followed in the Ferguson Cemetery, Moon, KY, with Potter Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Phillip Skaggs, Roger Maynard, Tyler Adkins, Tanner McKenzie, Lawrance Craft, Ron Keaton, Charles Wallin and Ora Rigby.

Lillian Fannin

Lillian Blevins Fannin age 77, of 154 Zag Rd., West Liberty, Ky., passed away Tuesday in the Highland Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg, Ky., after a brief illness.

She was born Nov. 14, 1935, at the home place in Big Laurel, Ky., to the late Frank and Ola Marie Barnett Fannin.

Lillian was of the Pentecostal faith and was a loving wife, mother, grandmother and sister. She was a retired school bus driver.

In addition to her parents she is preceded in death by one grandson, Zachary Frank Fannin; and her sister, Marie Lewis.

Survivors include her loving husband, Virgil Fannin, of Zag Road, West Liberty, Ky.; one daughter, Frankie (Timmy) Wilder, of West Liberty, Ky.; one son, Billy Ray (Rhonda) Fannin, of West Liberty, Ky.; three grandchildren, Brandon Fannin, Ashley (Aaron) Hutchinson and Shyanna Wild-

er; two step-grandchildren, Megan (Shawn) Johnson and Kyle Preston; one great-grandchild, Audrey Hutchinson; one step-great-grandchild, Ayden (Abb) Johnson; six sisters, Geneva Cox, Fredia and Johnny Keeton, Joyce Wright, Elizabeth and Carl Law, and Betty and Gene Smith, all of West Liberty, Ky., and Gaye Black, of Morehead, Ky.; two brothers, Paul and Ivory Blevins, and Ishmael and Marlene Blevins, all of West Liberty, Ky.; and a host of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted 1 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 14, at Herald & Stewart & Halsey Chapel with Rev. Eugene Haney, Bro. Dean Lewis and Terry Dale Lewis officiating. Burial followed in the Lewis Cemetery, Hwy. 519, West Liberty, Ky. with Herald & Stewart & Halsey Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Steve Keeton, Delyn Lewis, Jimmy Law, Eugene Blevins, Gerald Blevins, Jeff Smith, Jaried Smith, Ronnie Lewis, Reuben Wright, Richie Blevins, Kyle Preston, Brandon Fannin and Aaron Hutchinson.

Herbert J. Welch

Herbert J. Welch, 64, of Wellington, departed this life on Sunday, February 10, 2013, in Morehead.

He was a son of the late William and Ora Lawson Welch, born at West Liberty, Kentucky on August 13, 1948.

Herbert worked as a farmer.

Survivors include his step mother, Thelma Welch, of Wellington; two brothers, Billy Welch and wife, Ann, of Pomeroyton, and Rick Welch and wife, Reba, of Salt Lick; two sisters, June Parker and hus-

band, Tom, of Huber Heights, Ohio, and Patty Asher and husband, Arnold, of Owingsville; a host of nieces, nephews, great nieces, great nephews, other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Thursday, February 14, at Porter and Son Funeral Directors Chapel, with Bro. Dennis Flannery officiating. Burial followed in Morrison and Welch Cemetery, at Wellington, with arrangements entrusted to Porter and Son Funeral Directors, of Campton.

Pallbearers were Justin Welch, Anthony Asher, Archie Welch, Brian Parker, Terry Lawson, Danny Estep, Ricky Gustus, Frank Matney and Harold Lester.

Hubert Birchwell

Hubert C. Birchwell, 82, of Middletown, Ohio, died on Sunday, February 10, 2013, at his residence.

He was born on November 8, 1930, in Magoffin County, Kentucky, to the late Emory and Lona Birchwell. He worked as a laborer for over 40 years for Cohen Bros.

In addition to his parents, Hubert was preceded in death by a brother, Charles Birchwell; and a sister, Faye Morris.

Survivors include his wife of 57 years, Margie Birchwell; his children, Vickie (Bill) Patrick, Wayne (Beth) Birchwell, Tim (Ellen) Birchwell, and Penny Bair; eight grandchildren, Scott,

Brad, Chad, Stephen, Jessica, Abbie, William, and Henry; 6 great grandchildren; a brother, Frankie Birchwell and wife, Glenna, of Means; and sisters, Della Harper and husband, James, of Ezel, Athlene Bowman and Jean Dyer and husband, Paul, both of Middletown, Ohio.

A celebration of life service was conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 12, at Baker-Stevens-Parramore Funeral Home, in Middletown, Ohio, with interment in Woodside Cemetery.

Memorial contributions were suggested to Harvest Ranch Church, 6850 Middletown-Germantown Road, Middletown, Ohio 45042.

May God grant him eternal peace.

Condolences may be sent to the family @ www.bakerstevensparramore.com.

Sylvia M. Anspach

Sylvia Mae Anspach, 70, of Fairborn, Ohio, died on Saturday, January 12, 2013, at her residence.

Sylvia was born in West Liberty, Kentucky, on April 27, 1942, to Orville and Opal (Bailey) Henry.

She retired from General Motors Truck and Bus.

In addition to her parents, Sylvia was preceded in death by a brother, Tommy Henry; a sister, Etta Lou Henry, and her son, Timmy Harmon.

Survivors include her loving husband of 20 years, Steve Anspach; four daughters, Son-

ja Hardin and husband, Ed, Johanna Layne and husband, Tim, Rechell Hisle, and Terasa Crocker and husband, Kyle; two step-sons, Michael and Jason Anspach; 7 grandchildren; 2 great grandchildren; two sisters, Karen Havens and Loretta McGuire; and two brothers, Paul and Larry Henry.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. at Anderson Funeral Home, with Pastor Jeff Roberts officiating. Burial followed in Springboro Cemetery under the direction of Anderson Funeral Home, Franklin, Ohio.

Memorial contributions were suggested to the American Heart Fund or the Lupus Foundation.

Please visit www.anderson-fh.com to send an on line condolence.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the family of Irene Gullett Isaac, want to thank our many good neighbors and friends for the kindness and help they gave us during the time of sickness and death of our dear mom and sister. The food was delicious and helpful to us. We want to thank Elders Daniel Ison, Dr. James Frederick, Rick Howard, the singers, the phone calls, for the prayers that were prayed in our behalf, to Judge Tim Conley for salting the roads and hill to the cemetery, to Herald and Stewart and Halsey Funeral Home. Our

special thanks goes out to all. You know what you did. We appreciate everything you did. May God bless you all. You will always be remembered in our prayers.

Irene Isaac Family Children: Jonathon, Marcella and family; Jerome, Lesa and family; Faye Isaac; Harvey Isaac; Sisters, Juanita, Lexie, and Ella Mae; Brothers, Paul B., Troy, Leroy, and Roby (pd)

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Proverbs 1:28 Then shall they call upon me, but I will not answer; they shall seek me early, but they shall not find me. Have you every hunted for something and could not find it? Could it be that this is true about the Lord? Are you willing to take that chance?

Our message came from Luke 15:1-10 where Jesus gives us parables about things lost and seeking to find them. The first parable is about a shepherd who had a 100 sheep and one was lost so he left the 99 to find the one and the other parable is of a woman who had ten pieces of silver and lost one so she lit a candle and sweep till she found it. We all have probably lost something before and depending on what it was depend on how hard we sought after it. Luke 19:10 For the Son of man is come to seek and to save that which is lost. Jesus left the splendor of heaven to face an old rugged cross to seek for you that you might have eternal life. There is not a problem with God seeking for you that you might be saved. Being saved requires us to do some seeking too.

Deuteronomy 4:29 But if from thence thou shalt seek the Lord thy God, thou shalt find him if thou seek him with all thy heart and all thy soul. Most people we talk to want to go to heaven but we have to want it with all our heart. Jesus said in Matthew 6 to seek first the king-

dom of God and his righteousness; we seek after everything trying to satisfy the soul but God is the only one who can do that. Isaiah 55:6 Seek ye the Lord while he may be found, call ye upon him while he is near. When the Lord speaks to your heart that is the time to seek him. Acts 17:27 That they should seek the Lord, if haply they might feel after him, and find him, though he be not far from every one of us. So when we feel the presence of God dealing with our hearts we need to seek after him right then.

With all this being true, why don't we see people get saved? Psalm 10:4 The wicked, though the pride of his countenance, will not seek after God; God is not in all his thoughts. Pride of coming to an altar and asking God to forgive us of our sins keeps many from accepting the Lord into their hearts. Is the Lord seeking you out today and if so are you seeking after Him? Come worship with us we preach about things like this.

We will be having a singing with William and Mark Walters group sharing the gospel through songs of worship in our morning service. We'll have a potluck meal after the service, so bring a dish of something and join us in this time of worship. If you have prayer requests or comments contact me by email at karleeeelam@hotmail.com or phone 743-4736. We'll be glad to hear from you. Until next week may the Lord bless you is our prayer.

Your Pastor and Friend
Karl Elam

Extension Service announces Farm and Family Night

The Morgan County Extension Service staff cordially invites everyone to plan to participate in the 19th Farm and Family Night on March 12, 2013. The event will be hosted at the Morgan County High School. It will be an evening offering excellent informal education and community fellowship for the whole family.

The display area will open at 5:00 p.m. with various community sponsors, service organizations and community partners sharing information with those in attendance. Dinner will be served from 5:00-6:30 p.m. courtesy of our generous sponsors. Class workshops will be offered from 6:30-7:15 p.m. and 7:15-8:00 p.m. Door prizes will be offered in class rooms at the end of each session.

Workshops will be available for 4-H age youth and adults. Workshops will include: youth activities, "What do Those Clouds Mean? (Severe weather preparedness), Beginning

Beekeeping, Spring Vegetable Production and Seasonal Extension techniques, Basics of Beef Farming Business, Cajun cooking, English paper piecing (hands on activity), Couponing 101, Floral arranging, making your own cleaning products.

Special thanks to our sponsors for helping make this program available for all Morgan Countians. To our sponsors: Bank of the Mountains, Commercial Bank, Licking Valley R.E.C.C., Mountain Telephone, Morgan County Soil Conservation, West Liberty Nursing and Rehabilitation and Morgan County Farm Bureau.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Jan. 28, 2013
The Courier and staff,
Enclosed is my check for \$30 for another year of The Licking Valley Courier. I look forward to receiving my paper each week. Don't want to miss a copy. Keep up the good news around Morgan County and also the writers for the paper.

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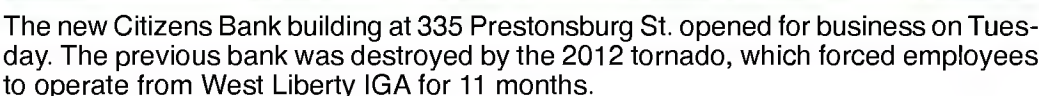
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Feb 18 — Thought for the week:
 People will hurt you:
 God will heal you.
 People humiliate you.
 God will magnify you.
 People will judge you.
 God will justify you.

Get well to the sick round and about; to the family of Lillian Fannin and all who have lost loved ones. Get well to Louise Hall, who fell and broke her arm and had a stroke — she was airlifted to Lexington, where she had another stroke. Her daughter Pamela Lamb of Ohio is with her. We ask that everyone pray for her.

Thanks to Pearl Cornett for calling to let us know about Lousie. They are sisters.

I received a call from a lady by the name of Barbara Lee Furr of Tennessee. She had read the LVC and said she lived here when young at Ezel and had

By Louise G. Caskey
Feb. 18--We extend our deepest sympathy to the families of Rebecca Irene Isaac, Ivory Wallin, and Mary Wallin, of Rochester, Ohio, and to all others who have lost loved ones.

Mrs. Barbara Davis and daughter, Christina, of Xenia, Ohio were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Brad Ramey and daughters, Grace, Regan, and Carlie, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale DeHart, of Ft. Mitchell.

Mrs. Patty Shoop, of Dayton, Ohio visited last weekend here with Mrs. Julia Johnson. On Sunday, they along with Gary Ball, were visitors of other family members including Mr. and Mrs. Ira Adkins and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Johnson, of

rebirth and a testament to the resolve of Morgan County. We invite everyone to stop in, and we thank our customers for the support and patience during this process.”

A grand opening event including entertainment, refreshments and door prizes is scheduled for Saturday, April 6, at the bank. Details will be

family related to the Carpenters, the Earl and Estill Leach and Pieratt families. Good to talk with her.

Congratulations go out to Philip Ray Thornsburry and Toshia Caskey on their marriage. Hope you have many years together.

The writer and Barbara Carpenter were in Mt. Sterling Ky on Wednesday and visited with Tamera and Dalton Tate.

Get well to Ricky Lindon, who was in the hospital several days. Hope you are feeling better.

Sara Cantrell visited with her great-grandchild, Liam Daniel Arthur, who arrived on Feb. 8 weighing in at 8 lb. 2 oz. and 20 1/2 inches long. Liam is the son of Eric and Kandis Arthur.

Visitor's of Mason and Carolyn Montgomery have been, Phillip and Rebecca Montgomery, Cody and Katelyn on Feb. 12. On Feb 9 they had Jocelyn Bolin and Stephanie Good-

published in The Courier when they become available.

Citizen Bank business hours are 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m.-6 p.m. Fridays, and 8 a.m.-12 p.m. Saturday. For more information regarding Citizens Bank, call 743-1501 or visit employees at the new branch at 335 Prestonsburg St.

pastor. Carolyn had a doctor's appointment in Morehead on February 7. Mason had a bad fall on Saturday.

Clyde Montgomery and Jocelyn Bolin helped Carolyn out.

Carolyn Montgomery would like to wish a Happy Birthday to a good friend, Gloria Day.

Birthdays (belated) & Anniversaries: Leslie Wright 2-7, Michael Havens 2-11, Mitchell Hopkins 2-13, Dalton Tate 2-14, Jennifer Watson 2-16, Fern Ross 2-16, Cindy Montgomery 2-16, Jessica Keeton 2-16, Joe Nickell 2-19, Cathy Toney 2-19, Rachel Wright 2-23, Dorothy Bowman 2-23, Colton Caren 2-24, Austin Prewitz 2-26, Shane Caron 2-26, Marlena Vanhooose 2-27, Wm. H. Montgomery 2-28, Pete Varney 2-29, Vicky Smith 2-29, Dale & Betty Smith 2-19.

Sometimes the strongest people are the ones who love beyond all faults, cry behind closed doors, and fight battles that nobody knows about.

Ezel.

Dale DeHart visited a few days last week in West Liberty visiting with family members and friends.

Mrs. Mary Alice Mayberry visited last Sunday with Mrs. Josephine O'Neal.

Family members and friends visited last week with Mrs. Julia Johnson included Mrs. Rose Ison, Mrs. Bernice Marie Bolin, Gary Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Johnson, Dennis Johnson and Ms. Debbie Prater, of Salyersville.

Mrs. Josephine O'Neal reports that she had an enjoyable visit on Saturday to the Gallery of the Hills, the barn which houses the photographs of photographer Dean Hill. On Saturday afternoon, she visited with Mrs. Mary Webb.

Household Hints

- Use ventilation fans only

- As needed. In just one hour, all the heated air in your home can be drawn out through an exhaust vent.
- To prevent heat loss in your house, keep the fireplace damper closed when not in use.
- Don't discard broken terracotta tile flower pots. Use the pieces in the bottoms of other flower containers or place them in your garden to identify herbs and plants. Write the names of herbs and plants on the pieces of tile with a waterproof indelible marker.
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Sharon Lewis to Shannon Martin and Randy, 115 acres, more or less, on Lacy Creek, love and affection.

William Howard and Michelle Howard to Stephen R. Cantrell and Janice D. Cantrell, land located on Thomas Phipps Branch, \$10,000.

Joey H. Bates to Bazie Dulen III, property located on Prestonsburg Street and being lots 5, 6, and 7 of College Addition to the City of West Liberty, \$120,000.

Feb. 18--Jimmie Nickell, of Lebanon, Ohio, spent a few days here at his place and visited with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Nickell. Joyce LeMaster and Leova Lewis wre among those attending the event at M.C.H.S. last Monday. William Dan LeMaster visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dan LeMaster, Jr. last Tuesday evening. Joyce LeMaster visited last week with Leova Lewis and Jewell Young. Athena Blackburn and Nicholas

and Joyce LeMaster were shopping in Morehead Saturday and ate dinner at Cracker Barrel. Josh Brewer and Randa Nickell ate supper with Darrell and Ella Mae Nickell last week. Darrell and Ella Mae attended the wedding of John Cantrell and Teneka Carty Friday night at Elkfork Primitive Baptist Church on Rockhouse. A large crowd attended. Ella Mae Nickell visited with Faye Isaac on Pricey Friday. She also visited with Margaret Williams and Burns and Sharon Cottle.

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A good number of Americans say yes. Nine of 10 health clubs in our country offer the service, and, according to the International Health, Racquet and Sportsclub Association, 6.3 million Americans have personal trainers. That's an increase of more than 50 percent since 1998.

Many health clubs offer "free personal training" with every membership. This means, primarily, that a trainer is available to introduce you to the various machines, give instructions about how they are to be used and answer questions at any time. Given the growing number and types of exercise equipment, this is good basic information.

This does not take the same amount of time nor require the expertise as a personal trainer who works with you on an individual basis to set up a program, monitor your progress and help you meet your goals.

The going rate for this kind of personal training is \$15 to \$100 an hour, with a national average of \$50 an hour. Even the top rate is probably considerably less than Oprah pays, but it still has to be questioned. Do I need a personal trainer? What can a trainer provide that I cannot do on my own? The answers vary with your individual needs.

YOU'RE NEW TO EXERCISE: Dr. X, a pediatrician, is a bit embarrassed when it comes to exercise. He tells parents about how much their kids will benefit from physical activity, but he knows that he doesn't get enough exercise himself.

"I just don't know how to get started," he said. A trainer can talk to Dr. X, inquire about his goals and preferences and then work out a balanced routine for him.

MOTIVATE ME: If you've tried exercise before and always seem to be dropping out for the slightest excuse, having a personal trainer may be a good idea.

The trainer may help you discover the best program for your schedule and personality. But an even greater motivation is the money you're shelling out. You don't want to be paying for something you never use.

SHOW ME RESULTS: Joan had joined a health club six months ago and was showing up for an hour four days a week. Yet she hadn't lost a pound and didn't feel any fitter than she had before she joined.

A personal trainer can help you get off whatever plateau you are stuck on and start achieving results. You may be doing too much or not enough aerobic work. You may need to incorporate more strength training. You may need to be pushing yourself harder—getting more intensity out of your workouts.

Once you decide that you want a personal trainer, the next step is choosing one. Things you'll want to consider include qualifications and experience, price and finding a good match for your goals and your personality.

Bethany Lucas, MD

If you're training for a marathon, an experienced runner in distance events might be able to give you some helpful training tips. Or you might find a good training program in a running publication.

In most cases, though, you want a personal trainer with experience who is certified and has strong credentials.

The major national certifying organizations are the American College of Sports Medicine, the American Council on Exercise, the National Strength and Conditioning Association and the National Academy of Sports Medicine. They all have requirements for testing and continuing education. Get references as well and interview the trainer to make sure the two of you are compatible.

If you have arthritis, diabetes or a heart condition, look for a trainer with some medical knowledge about your particular problem. And be sure your trainer knows CPR.

Don't be shy about discussing cost. Some trainers will offer a discount if you refer one or more of your friends. You might also be able to work out a group training arrangement.

If the trainer's hourly fee seems high, make sure you get straight how often he or she expects to meet with you. Most trainers do not expect to be at your side every minute. A better and more cost effective approach is for the trainer to work out a program for you and then follow up regularly to see if you are meeting your goals. The goal of a good personal trainer is to educate you so you can eventually take over on your own and manage your own fitness goals.

LEGALS

NOTICE OF SALE Commonwealth Of Kentucky Morgan Circuit Court Case No. 09-CI-00205

Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, As Trustee For Novastar Mortgage Funding Trust, Series 2007-1, Plaintiff Vs.
Elizabeth A. Fyffe, A/K/A Beth Fyffe, James Burchett, Tax Ease Lien Investments 1, Llc, And Paul W. Blair, Defendants

Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Morgan Circuit Court, entered on September 26, 2012, in the above styled action, Honorable Robert L. Caum-misar, Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court, shall proceed to offer for sale, under the following terms and conditions, at the front door of the Courthouse, West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 1st day of March, 2013 at or near the hour of 1:40 p.m., the following described property, lying and being in the Commonwealth of Kentucky, County of Morgan and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

TRACT III

Beginning at a point on Eulas Hammons' line near a white oak tree; thence up the branch with Lenville Holbrook's line (formerly Gary Howell's line) to the first electric pole; thence across the garden and across the branch with Lenville Holbrook's line (formerly Gary Howell's line) to a white oak, a corner between Lenville Holbrook (formerly Gary Howell's line) and Hattie Hall; thence up the hill to Eulas Hammons' line; thence with Eulas Hammons' line around the hill and thence down the hill and across branch to the beginning corner, containing two and one half (2 1/2) acres, more or less.

Being the same property conveyed to Elvis Ray Fyffe and Elizabeth Fyffe, husband and wife by deed dated July 6, 2002 and found of record in Deed Book 192, Page 141 in the Office of the Morgan County Recorder.

Commonly known as : 139 Eulas Hammond Road, Elkfork, KY 41421.

Parcel Number: 142-00-00-006.00

Subject to all restrictions, conditions and covenants and to all legal highway and easements.

The aforementioned real estate can not be divided without materially impairing its value and shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash in full, and if not paid in full then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment of at least ten percent (10%) of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.

In the event that the successful bidder is the Plaintiff to this action, which has been adjudged to have a lien on that particular tract or parcel of real or personal property bid upon, then and in that event, said party shall not be required to make any cash deposit or bond.

If any purchaser at said sale shall fail to immediately make cash payment or execute a bond, then the Commissioner shall declare the next highest bidder the purchaser of the real estate.

Upon default of payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days, the Master Commissioner shall immediately resell the property upon the same terms and conditions set out herein upon proper legal notice. The ten percent (10%) of purchase price paid to the Master Commissioner shall be used to pay the costs of the sale which the purchaser failed to complete.

The hereinabove described real property shall be sold free and clear of the claims, interests, recorded liens and encumbrances of all parties herein, except restrictions and easements appearing of record, in the Morgan County Court Clerk's Office.

The risk of loss for the subject property shall pass to the purchaser on the date of sale. Possession of the premises shall pass to the purchaser upon payment of the purchase price and delivery of deed.

The purchaser shall be required to purchase fire and extended coverage insurance on any improvements to the real property, from the date of sale until the purchase price is paid in full to the extent of the Court-appraised value of the improvements or the unpaid balance of the purchase price, whichever is

less, with a loss clause payable to the Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court or the Plaintiff herein.

The Defendants, their agents, employees, successors or assigns shall vacate the mortgaged premises immediately upon the confirmation of the Master Commissioner's Sale.

The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes assessed such property for the year 2012 and all subsequent years. This property shall be sold subject to any ad valorem and real property taxes not delinquent as of the date of sale. The attorney of record must furnish the Master Commissioner with a statement that there are no unpaid County and City delinquent taxes or tax liens, and assignments of any such liens, against the property. This statement may be incorporated in the Motion/Proposed Order confirming the Master Commissioner's Report of Sale and directing delivery of deed and disbursement of funds held in escrow for said sale. Upon the receipt of said statement, the Master Commissioner shall pay any delinquent property taxes or tax liens for all years prior to the year of the sale.

For more particulars, reference is made to the record of this action in the office of the Morgan Circuit Clerk.

Honorable Robert L. Caum-misar

Master Commissioner
Morgan Circuit Court
301 West Main Street
Grayson, Kentucky 41143
C-2-14-3t
(Pub. Feb. 14, 21, 28)

NOTICE OF SALE

Commonwealth Of Kentucky
Morgan Circuit Court
Case No. 11-CI-00063

Bank Of America, National Association, Successor By Merger To Bac Home Loans, Servicing, Lp, F/K/A Countrywide Home Loans Servicing, Lp,, Plaintiff Vs.
Clinton Gullett, Frieda Gullett, Target National Bank, Defendants

Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Morgan Circuit Court, entered on September 24, 2012, in the above styled action, Honorable Robert L. Caum-misar, Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court, shall proceed to offer for sale, under the following terms and conditions, at the front door of the Courthouse, West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 1st day of March, 2013 at or near the hour of 1:50 p.m., the following described property, lying and being in the Commonwealth of Kentucky, County of Morgan and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the North side of Kentucky Highway 364 at a culvert; thence up the branch with its meanders to a chestnut; thence straight line up the hill to a black oak on top of the ridge; thence an East course with Eli Lykins heirs line to J. M. Brown's line; thence with J. M. Brown's line to a beech by the country road; thence with the road in a Westerly direction to the point of beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to Clinton Gullett and Frieda Gullett, husband and wife, by deed dated July 6, 1994, executed by Harold E. Kennard, et al, of record in Deed Book 165, Page 455, and recorded in the office of the Morgan County Clerk.

Property Address: 3535 Highway 364, West Liberty, Kentucky, 41472

The aforementioned real estate can not be divided without materially impairing its value and shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash in full, and if not paid in full then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment of at least ten percent (10%) of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.

In the event that the successful bidder is the Plaintiff to this action, which has been adjudged to have a lien on that particular tract or parcel of real or personal property bid upon, then and in that event, said party shall not be required to make any cash deposit or bond.

If any purchaser at said sale shall fail to immediately make cash payment or execute a bond, then the Commissioner shall declare the next highest bidder the

purchaser of the real estate.

Upon default of payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days, the Master Commissioner shall immediately resell the property upon the same terms and conditions set out herein upon proper legal notice. The ten percent (10%) of purchase price paid to the Master Commissioner shall be used to pay the costs of the sale which the purchaser failed to complete.

The hereinabove described real property shall be sold free and clear of the claims, interests, recorded liens and encumbrances of all parties herein, except restrictions and easements appearing of record, in the Morgan County Court Clerk's Office.

The risk of loss for the subject property shall pass to the purchaser on the date of sale. Possession of the premises shall pass to the purchaser upon payment of the purchase price and delivery of deed.

The purchaser shall be required to purchase fire and extended coverage insurance on any improvements to the real property, from the date of sale until the purchase price is paid in full to the extent of the Court-appraised value of the improvements or the unpaid balance of the purchase price, whichever is less, with a loss clause payable to the Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court or the Plaintiff herein.

The Defendants, their agents, employees, successors or assigns shall vacate the mortgaged premises immediately upon the confirmation of the Master Commissioner's Sale.

The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes assessed such property for the year 2012 and all subsequent years. This property shall be sold subject to any ad valorem and real property taxes not delinquent as of the date of sale. The attorney of record must furnish the Master Commissioner with a statement that there are no unpaid County and City delinquent taxes or tax liens, and assignments of any such liens, against the property. This statement may be incorporated in the Motion/Proposed Order confirming the Master Commissioner's Report of Sale and directing delivery of deed and disbursement of funds held in escrow for said sale. Upon the receipt of said statement, the Master Commissioner shall pay any delinquent property taxes or tax liens for all years prior to the year of the sale.

For more particulars, reference is made to the record of this action in the office of the Morgan Circuit Clerk.

Honorable Robert L. Caum-misar

Master Commissioner
Morgan Circuit Court
301 West Main Street
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C-2-14-3t
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NOTICE OF SALE

Commonwealth Of
Kentucky
Morgan Circuit Court
Case No. 12-CI-00082

Mountain Association For Community Economic Development, Inc., Plaintiff Vs.
Michael David Haney And Linda S. Haney, And Thomas Ferguson A/K/A Tom Ferguson And Barbara Haney Ferguson, Defendants

Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Morgan Circuit Court, entered on December 28, 2012, in the above styled action, Honorable Robert L. Caum-misar, Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court, shall proceed to offer for sale, under the following terms and conditions, at the front door of the Courthouse, West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 1st day of March, 2013 at or near the hour of 2:20 p.m., the following described property, lying and being in the Commonwealth of Kentucky, County of Morgan and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

TRACT NO.

Beginning at the road a corner to the property of first parties and Mason Gullett; thence running with Gullett's line up the road to corner of Gullett property and property of first parties, near the yard gate; thence with the road and up the same to the J. O. Haney line; thence with J. O. Haney and with the garden fence to a ditch; thence following the ditch to the creek; thence with the creek and down the same to a corner of Mason Gullett; thence with the Gullett line down the creek to a walnut; thence a straight line and with the Gullett line to the point of beginning. Containing 12 acres, more or less.

Being the same property conveyed to Barbara Haney Ferguson from Harold Walter and Lena Walter, husband and wife, by deed dated November 9, 1987, and of record in Deed Book 146, Page 111, records of the Morgan County Court Clerk's Office.

TRACT NO. 2

Beginning on a white oak tree marked, and a stone in the line of George Haney on top of the hill on the north-east corner of this tract; thence down the point with wire fence a South-easterly direction to

a set stone at a wire fence; thence with the wire fence over and down the point to a hickory tree and set stone near the branch; thence running with wire fence southerly direction to the county road; thence running with the county road down to a set stone at or opposite the corner of the J. O. Haney garden where it now is; thence running south with the garden fence to a ditch and on to the creek; thence up the [sic] where it now runs to a set stone; thence south up the hill to set stone at a wire fence; thence running nearly west course with wire fence to a set stone at the creek; thence running with the creek up the [sic] about 1/4 of a mile to a set stone in the creek near the mouth of the little branch over opposite George Haney's house and then running a southerly direction where it now runs to a set stone up the branch about 100 yards; thence running up the point to top of the point with a marked line to a set stone on top of the point; thence running up the point a south-westerly course to the Isaac Ferguson corner of the J. O. Haney tract; thence with wire fence down the hill a nearly eastern course to the branch; thence same direction up the hill to the top of a pine tree and set stone; thence up the ridge and wire fence a southerly direction to the J. F. Lykins and Billie Lewis lands; thence running with the Billie Lewis lines to Mason Gullett corner; thence with the Mason Gullett's line to the Alex Whitaker corner and land; thence with the Alex Whitaker line to the George Haney and Whitaker line; thence with George Haney's line to the beginning corner, containing sixty (60) acres, more or less, but to contain all the land in the aforesaid boundary.

LESS: A 3.4 acre out conveyance to Ashley S. Haney of record in Deed Book 217, Page 701 records of the Morgan County Court Clerk's Office. See also Deed Book 205, Page 613 for Deed of Correction.

LESS: A 3.288 acre out conveyance to Ronnie Howard and Lillie Howard of record in Deed Book 207, Page 725 records of the Morgan County Court Clerk's Office. See also Deed Book 195, Page 233.

Being a portion of the same property conveyed to Michael David Haney and Barbara Haney Ferguson by the Last Will and Testament of Lena Wray Walter who died on January 6, 2008, and of record in Will Book 12, Page 541.

The aforementioned real estate can not be divided without materially impairing its value and shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash in full, and if not paid in full then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment of at least ten percent (10%) of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.

In the event that the successful bidder is the Plaintiff to this action, which has been adjudged to have a lien on that particular tract or parcel of real or personal property bid upon, then and in that event, said party shall not be required to make any cash deposit or bond.

If any purchaser at said sale shall fail to immediately make cash payment or execute a bond, then the Commissioner shall declare the next highest bidder the purchaser of the real estate.

Upon default of payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days, the Master Commissioner shall immediately resell the property upon the same terms and conditions set out herein upon proper legal notice. The ten percent (10%) of purchase price paid to the Master Commissioner shall be used to pay the costs of the sale which the purchaser failed to complete.

The hereinabove described real property shall be sold free and clear of the claims, interests, recorded liens and encumbrances of all parties herein, except restrictions and easements appearing of record, in the Morgan County Court Clerk's Office.

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The Defendants, their agents, employees, successors or assigns shall vacate the mortgaged

premises immediately upon the confirmation of the Master Commissioner's Sale.

The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes assessed such property for the year 2012 and all subsequent years. This property shall be sold subject to any ad valorem and real property taxes not delinquent as of the date of sale. The attorney of record must furnish the Master Commissioner with a statement that there are no unpaid County and City delinquent taxes or tax liens, and assignments of any such liens, against the property. This statement may be incorporated in the Motion/Proposed Order confirming the Master Commissioner's Report of Sale and directing delivery of deed and disbursement of funds held in escrow for said sale. Upon the receipt of said statement, the Master Commissioner shall pay any delinquent property taxes or tax liens for all years prior to the year of the sale.

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Honorable Robert L. Caum-misar

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NOTICE OF SALE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY MORGAN CIRCUIT COURT CASE NO. 11-CI-00155

The Citizens Bank, Plaintiff

Vs.
Mark Hopkins (A/K/A Mark C. Hopkins);
Angela Hopkins (A/K/A Angela Dawn Moore);
Unknown Spouse Of Mark Hopkins (A/K/A Mark C. Hopkins); Unknown Spouse Of Angela Hopkins (A/K/A Angela Dawn Moore);
Commonwealth Of Kentucky, Division Of Collections, Department Of Revenue; And
United States Of America, Internal Revenue Service, Defendants

Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Morgan Circuit Court, entered on December 21, 2012, in the above styled action, Honorable Robert L. Caum-misar, Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court, shall proceed to offer for sale, under the following terms and conditions, at the front door of the Courthouse, West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 1st day of March, 2013 at or near the hour of 2:00 p.m., the following described property, lying and being in the Commonwealth of Kentucky, County of Morgan and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

2797 HIGHWAY 364 WEST LIBERTY, KENTUCKY

Beginning at the Southern right lower corner, at two hacks in a rock; thence from that rock and up the hill to a hickory tree with three hacks in it; thence from the hickory tree on up the hill to a white pine with three hacks in it; thence from the white pine down the hill to a white oak with three hacks in it; then down the hollow to an iron pin stake; thence from the iron pin stake along with the right-of-way of route 364 to the point of beginning. Believe to contain approximately 15 acres, but is sold by the boundary and not by any stated estimated acreage.

EXCEPTION: IT IS AGREED AND UNDERSTOOD THAT ALL MINERALS AND RIGHTS TO SAME ARE EXCEPTED AND ARE NOT CONVEYED HEREIN.

Being the same property conveyed to Mark Hopkins and Angela Hopkins, husband and wife, by Deed dated May 8, 2006, from Johnny E. Bolin, single, and recorded in Deed Book 205, Page 375, in the Morgan County Court Clerk's Records.

The aforementioned real estate can not be divided without materially impairing its value and shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash in full, and if not paid in full then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment of at least ten percent (10%) of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.

In the event that the successful bidder is the Plaintiff to this action, which has been adjudged to have a lien on that particular tract or parcel of real or personal property bid upon, then and in that event, said party shall not be required to make any cash deposit or bond.

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The Defendants, their agents, employees, successors or assigns shall vacate the mortgaged premises immediately upon the confirmation of the Master Commissioner's Sale.

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NOTICE OF SALE

Commonwealth Of
Kentucky
Morgan Circuit Court
Case No. 11-CI-00061

The Bank Of New York Mellon Trust Company, National Association F/K/A The Bank Of New York Trust Company, N.A. As Successor To Jpmorgan Chase Bank, N.A. As Trustee, Plaintiff Vs.

Bonnie Howard, Unknown Defendant, Spouse Of Bonnie Howard Discover Bank, Cach Lic Of Colorado, Asset Acceptance Llc, County Of Morgan, Defendants

Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Morgan Circuit Court, entered on November 27, 2012, in the above styled action, Honorable Robert L. Caum-misar, Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court, shall proceed to offer for sale, under the following terms and conditions, at the front door of the Courthouse, West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 1st day of March, 2013 at or near the hour of 2:10 p.m., the following described property, lying and being in the Commonwealth of Kentucky, County of Morgan and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at three spruce pine stumps; thence West up branch to near Ralph Black barn; thence a South course a straight line to a hickory and black oak at the point on ridge; thence running with the meanders of the ridge with the cleared field or land to a hickory corner; thence an East course to James Cox line; North to George Howard's line; thence with said Howard line to the county road; thence said road to the beginning, containing 50 acres, more or less.

This conveyance is made subject to all existing restrictions, stipulations and easements of record, including the subsurface oil, gas and mineral rights, leased, reserved or outstanding in third parties, if any.

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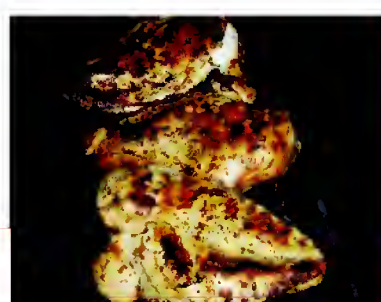


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Brushy Fork Church, Caney, KY. Services every Sunday at 10:00 am No Saturday services. Hobert Dunn, pastor.

West Liberty Church Of God, 568 Glenn Ave., West Liberty, KY 41472, phone 743-4161. Tim Yaden, pastor. Parsonage: 743-4161. Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Sunday evening 7:00 pm Bible study for all age groups.

Hazel Green Christian Church, P.O. Box 66, Hazel Green, KY 41332. Bro. David Fields, pastor, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Wednesday evening 7:00 pm.

Catholic Church of the Good Shepherd, 525 Main St., Campton, KY, Phone 668-3731. Sunday Mass 11:30 am; Wednesday evening 5:30 pm.

Faith Baptist Church, Caney, KY 41402, phone 743-4966, parsonage phone 743-1330. Bro. Mick Harden, pastor, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Sunday disciples group training service 5:00 pm, Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Wednesday night mission friends, GA's, aceten's RA's, adult Bible study 6:00 pm.

Old Grassy Christian Church, US-460, Mize, KY 41352. Carl Rroller, pastor. Sunday morning 11:30 am.

Martha Enterprise Baptist Church, approximately 3 miles up KY-589 off KY-172. Services second weekend each month. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Every Sunday morning 11:00 am. Bro. Roger Ball, pastor.

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Seventh Day Adventist Church, 1266 East Main Street, Jackson, KY. 10:00 am Saturday worship, 6:00 pm Tuesday Bible study. Phone (606) 295-3512.

Lick Fork Pentecostal Church, Saturday evening 7:00 pm, Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Congregation and pastor, Jay B. Lewis, invites all. Everyone welcome.

Rocky Branch Full Gospel Church Of God, 3 miles north of Campton on KY-746, Sunday morning 10:00 am, Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Denzil Lykins, pastor, phone 668-3643.

Torrent Church Of God, 1432 N KY-11, Zachariah, KY. Sunday School, 10:00 am, Sunday morning, 11:00 am, Sunday evening, 6:30 pm, Wednesday Bible Study, 7:00 pm. Rev. Marvin Hobbs, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Bethany Baptist Church, War Creek, KY. Sunday School 9:45 am, Sunday morning 10:30 am. Every Sunday. Every third Saturday of each month Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Rick Pelfrey, pastor.

Stark United Methodist Church, Sunday morning 9:30 am, Sunday School 10:30 am. Friday youth group 7:00 pm. Friday adult Bible study 7:00 pm. Warren Vanover, pastor.

Ezel United Presbyterian Church, Ezel, KY 41425, phone 725-4215, Sunday morning 9:30 am, Sunday School 10:30 am. All ages welcome.

Cannel City First Church Of God, Cannel City, KY, phone 743-7395, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Wednesday evening 6:30 pm. Everyone welcome.

Zag Community Church, located 1 mile off KY-519 on KY-976, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Wednesday Bible study 7:00 pm. Rev. Donald Cox, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Index Community Church, 1749 West Main Street, West Liberty, KY 41472 (intersection KY-191 & US-460), phone 743-4733; email: index@mrte.com web: www.indexcommunitychurch.org Sunday School 10:00 am, Morning worship 11:00 am, Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study, youth meeting, children's meeting 7:00 pm. Dr. Mike Frisby, minister.

Sandy Hook United Methodist Church, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Wednesday Bible study 7:00 pm. Rev. Warren Vanover, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Red River Community Church, Hazel Green, KY 41332, phone 662-6947. Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Thursday prayer service 7:00 pm. Rev. Charles Glover, pastor.

Prince Of Peace Catholic Church, 163 Pine Acres Lane just off Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty, Sunday: Classes 9:00 am; Mass 9:45 am. Father M. Daniel Edelen pastor. Phone 743-3266 office.

Wells Union Baptist Church, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Tuesday Bible study 6:00 pm. Jimmy Tharp, pastor.

Ophir Enterprise Baptist Church, approximately 10 miles up KY-1260 off KY-172. Services first Saturday evening 7:00 pm. First Sunday morning 11:00 am. Bro. Bobby Fultz, pastor. Bro. Ronnie Wright, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

Pleasant Run House Of Prayer, Yocum, KY. Sunday School 10:30 am, Sunday morning 1:00 pm, Wednesday evening 7:00 pm, Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Raymond Barker, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Sulphur Springs Church, Crockett, KY, KY-172. Third weekend of each month and all odd weekends. Saturday evening 7:00 pm, Sunday morning 11:00 am. Bro. Bobby Fultz, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Pekin Pentecostal Church, Wednesday evening 7:00 pm, Saturday evening 7:00 pm, Sunday School 10:00 am, morning worship 11:00 am. Pastor Sammy Vancleave, 743-7255 Everyone invited.

West Liberty Christian Church, 304 Prestonsburg and Court Street), phone (606) 743-4356, parsonage (606) 743-4355, Paul Casteel, minister. Matthew Riley, youth minister. Junior church and tee church 11:00 am, High school and middle school youth group Wednesday evening and Sunday evening 7:00 pm.

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Ezel First Church Of God, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Youth group Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Youth church service third Sunday each month 7:00 pm.

Stillwater Holiness Church, 3-1/2 miles north of Campton on KY-191, Wednesday evening 6:30 pm, Sunday evening 5:00 pm. Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Patricia Crider, pastor.

Bear Pen Worship Center, Sunday morning 10:45 am, Sunday School 6:30 pm, Wednesday evening 6:30 pm, Wednesday youth meeting 6:30 pm. David Spencer, pastor. Phone 668-3351.

Blaze Community Church, Services Wednesday evening 7:00 pm, Sunday School 5:00 pm, Sunday evening worship 6:00 pm, pastor Vernon Dale Lewis and congregation invite everyone.

Calvary Baptist Church, KY-191, Cannel City, KY. Sunday morning 11:00 am, Sunday evening 5:00 pm, Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Harry B. Helton, pastor.

Campton Baptist Church, Sunday School 9:45 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Sunday evening 7:00 pm, Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm, Pastor Gary Comer, Parsonage phone: 668-3499

Hazel Green Church Of God, KY-1010 Ezel, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning and children's church 11:00 am, Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Wednesday evening 7:00 pm, Charlie Brewer, pastor, wife Wavelene Brewer.

Concord Enterprise Baptist Church, KY-32 eight miles west of Sandy Hook. Every fourth Saturday evening 7:00 pm, Every Sunday, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Rev. Ricky Lewis, pastor.

West Liberty Church Of Christ, Sunday Bible study 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Sunday Bible study for all ages 7:00 pm. Paul Balch, minister. Phone 743-2132.

Campton First Church Of God, Sunday School 9:45 am, Sunday morning 10:45 am, Sunday evening 6:30 pm, Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm.

Laurel Gorge Enterprise Baptist Church, Youth services Friday 6:00 pm, Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm, Sunday School 9:45 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Rev. Virgil Franklin Gillum, pastor; Rodney Gilliam, assistant pastor.

Full Gospel Tabernacle, Top of Slade Hill where Jesus is Alpha and Omega, Saturday evening 7:00 pm, Sunday evening 7:00 pm, Tuesday evening 7:00 pm, Rev. Ralph Banks, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Grassy Lick Baptist Church, Grassy Creek, KY 41352, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Sunday evening 6:30 pm, Wednesday evening Bible study 7:00 pm, Kenneth Gevedon, pastor, Vernon Stacy, assistant pastor, James Tyra, assistant pastor.

Quillens Church Of God, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Lester Spencer, pastor, Phone 668-6435.

Abundant Life Full Gospel Church, 849 Broadway St., West Liberty, KY, Phone 743-1549, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Thursday evening 7:00 pm, Bro. Donnie Wheeler, pastor.

Murphy Fork Church, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday worship 11:00 am, Sunday night 6:00 pm, Thursday night 7:00 pm.

Haven Of Hope, 465 Main Street, West Liberty, KY 41472, Sunday School, 10:00 am, Sunday worship, 6:00 pm, Paul Tussey, pastor.

New Beginnings Church of God, off Hwy 519, Blevins Rd. Phone 606-743-1224, Sunday School 10:00 am, morning worship 11:00 am, Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Thursday 7:00 pm, Pastor Ruford Abner

Callaboose Community Church, Off KY-746 near Campton, Sunday morning 10:00 am, Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Bro. Burt Combs, pastor.

West Liberty Mennonite Church, located off Circle Dr. Wells Hill, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Darel Fyffe, pastor emeritus, Elder James Fyffe, 743-1567, Elder Steve Stoltzfus, 743-4195.

Church Of Free Worship, Thursday evening 7:00 pm, Sunday School 11:00 am, Sunday morning 12:00 noon, Stanley Rigbsby, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Old 519 Full Gospel Church, at mile marker 6 on Hickory Road, just off KY-519. Services Friday nights at 7:00 pm; Sunday School at 10:00 am; Church at 11:00 am. Pastor Joshua Hampton, 725-9424, or call 743-2078 for more information.

Tom's Branch Community Church, KY-772, Crockett, KY. Sunday morning 11:00 am; Sunday evening Bible Study 7:00 pm; Thursday evening service 7:00 pm; every third Saturday evening fellowship dinner 5:00 pm and church service at 7:00 pm. Everyone welcome. Pastor Jeff Montgomery.

White Oak Christian Church Disciples Of Christ, White Oak, KY 41474, phone 743-4127, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am.

Ezel Church Of God, Ezel, KY 41425, phone 725-5721.

Lee City First Church Of God, Lee City, KY, phone 662-6221, Sunday morning 10:30 am, Rev. Stanley Burnett, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Centerville Community Church, Saturday evening 7:00 pm, Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Harry Flannery, pastor.

Vortex Pentecostal Church, Thursday evening 7:00 pm, Rev. Leonard Cole, pastor.

Grace Baptist Church, Malone, KY. Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Sunday discipleship training 5:00 pm, Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Wednesday Bible study 6:00 pm, Bro. Mike Lindon, pastor.

Redbush Enterprise Baptist Church, Redbush, KY. Second Saturday evening each month 6:00 pm, Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Wednesday Bible study 6:00 pm, Bro. Mike Webb, pastor.

Campton United Methodist Church, phone 668-3229, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 10:55 am, Sunday evening 7:00 pm, Wednesday evening 7:00 pm, choir 7:45 pm, Rev. James Doughton, pastor.

Isonville Primitive Baptist Church, Isonville, KY, Phone 738-5816, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Christopher K. Harper, pastor. Everyone welcome.

West Liberty First Baptist Church, Sunday School 9:45 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Children's church 11:00 am, nursery provided, Sunday evening youth group 6:00 pm, Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm, David Cook, pastor, Phone 743-3722.

Bigwoods Community Church, HC 75, Wellington, KY, 40387, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Wednesday Bible hour 7:00 pm, Phone 768-3456, Rev. Jess Brewer, pastor.

New Salem Church, Moon, KY, 1/4 mile off KY-172 on KY-1715, Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm, Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Bro. James Wallin, pastor, Bro. Rick Keaton, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

Lick Branch Enterprise Baptist Church, two miles off US-460 up Old KY-172. Every fourth weekend of each month, Saturday night business 6:30 pm, Saturday evening 7:00 pm, Every Sunday morning 11:00 am, Bro. Joe O. Jenkins, pastor.

Neal Howards Creek Community Church, Tuesday evening 7:00 pm, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Every third Thursday ladies and men's meeting 7:00 pm, Dean Lewis, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Newcombe Valley First Enterprise Baptist Church, Isonville, KY, First Saturday each month 7:00 pm, Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 10:45 am, Jerry Porter, pastor, Mike Adkins, assistant pastor.

Tar Ridge Church Of God, Wolfe County, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 10:45 am, Sunday evening 6:30 pm, Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm, Rev. Mike Smith, pastor.

New Hope Baptist Church, Gordon Ford, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Sunday evening 6:30 pm, Wednesday evening 7:00 pm, Bro. Gedney Oney, pastor.

Straight Creek Enterprise Baptist Church, Big Mandy Road off KY-650, Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm, Every Sunday morning 11:00 am, Cortis Ison, pastor.

Countryside Community Church, KY-134, Johnson Fork, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Tuesday evening 7:00 pm, Bible trivia last Tuesday each month at 7:00 pm, Gospel singing fourth Friday at 7:00 pm, James Hinton, pastor, congregation well all. Phone 349-LORD.

Kernie Freewill Baptist Church, KY-134, Johnson Fork, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday morning 11:00 am, Butch Whitaker, pastor. Steve Arnett, assistant pastor.

Wallowhole Independent Baptist Church, Second Saturday evening each month 7:00 pm, Second Sunday morning each month 10:30 am, Every Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Thursday prayer meeting 7:00 pm.

Spring Branch Baptist Church, 100 Spring Branch Rd., Isonville, KY 41301, Pastor Robert Bailey, 606-668-9229, Sunday School, 10:00 am, Sunday morning worship, 11:00 am, Sunday night service, 6:00 pm, Wednesday night Bible Study, 7:00 pm.

Horton Flats Community Baptist Church, 1.6 miles off KY-7 on KY-3353, Horton Flats Road, Sunday School 9:30 am, Sunday morning 10:30 am.

Wrigley Baptist Mission, KY-7, Wrigley, KY, Sunday morning fellowship 9:45 am, Sunday School 10:00 am (classes for every age plus deaf class), Sunday morning 11:00 am, Wednesday Bible study 6:30 pm, Everyone welcome.

Fannin Enterprise Baptist Church, KY-557 (Ruin Road), Sandy Hook, KY, First Saturday, evening each month at 7:00 pm, Every Sunday morning at 10:30 am, Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm, George Stafford pastor and Jason Ison assistant pastor.

Crockett Community Baptist Church, KY-706, Pastor Hershel Wright, Sunday worship service 11:00 am.

Emmanuel Family Church, Isonville, KY, Pastor: Ira Smith, Phone 738-4917, Services Second Sunday each month at 11:00 am, Everyone welcome.

Slade Church of God, Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday service 11:00 am, Sunday night service 6:00 pm, Wednesday night Bible study 7:00 pm, Pastor Bill White, 668-6471.

Middle Fork Church of God, Services Friday at 7:00 pm, Sunday at 11:00 am, Sunday School, 10:00 am, Youth Group first and third Wednesdays, 6:00 pm, Pastor Dale Prewitt.

Open Fork United Baptist Church, approximately 18 miles from West Liberty and Paintsville on Hwy. 172. Will reopen fourth Saturday at 7:00 pm and Sunday at 10:30 am, Bro. Lowe Seaton, pastor and Willis Estep assistant pastor.

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Weekly Scripture Reading

Luke	Luke	Luke	Luke	Luke	John	John
14:25–15:32	15:11–32	17:1–19	18:15–34	18:35–19:10	13:1–20	13:21–35

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Ma and Pa are having their 55th Anniversary party with some of the neighbors from up and down Needmore. Pa and some of the men are sitting out at the well jawing about this and this. One of the neighbors asks Pa, "How is that you and Ma have had such a successful marriage?"

"Well, it dates back to our honeymoon," says Pa. "We visited the Grand Canyon and took a trip down to the bottom of the canyon by pack mule. We hadn't gone too far when her mule stumbled. Ma quietly says, 'That's once.'"

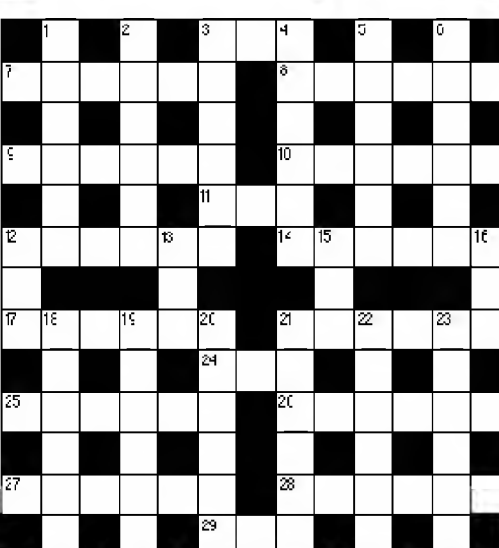
We proceeded a little further and the mule stumbled again. Once more Ma quietly says, 'That's twice.'

We hadn't gone a half-mile when the mule stumbled the third time. Ma pulled a revolver from her purse and shot the mule dead.

I started an angry protest over her treatment of the mule, when she looks at me and quietly says, 'That once.'

"And we've lived happily ever after."

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



CLUES ACROSS

- Drinking vessel
- Motor shed
- Vicar
- Frightened
- Vibration
- Allow
- Dive
- Thrown out
- Botch
- Cure
- Anger
- Weeping
- Vault
- Agreement
- Appeared
- Aye

CLUES DOWN

- Annul
- Head nurse
- Interfere
- Cave
- Entry
- Sullen
- Inn
- Viscous
- Employ
- Disquiet
- Engineless aircraft
- Four score
- Niche
- Fungus
- Haberdasher (British)

1. Canoe 2. Motor 3. Middle 4. Groin 5. Access 6. Morsé
7. Plunge 8. Rector 9. Scared 10. Terror 11. Let
12. Crying
13. Mung 14. Garage 15. Rector 16. Scared 17. Terror 18. Let
19. Crying
20. Cellar 21. Assent 22. Seamed 23. Draper
24. Reass 25. Midway 26. Draper

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Cable TV Channel Guide

FRIDAY EVENING February 22											
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
NBC 3	News	News	Wheel	J'party!	Dateline NBC				Rock Center	News	Jay
CBS 4	News	CBS	Wheel	J'party!	The Job		CSI: NY		Blue Bloods	News	Late Sh.
ABC 6	News	ABC	Ent	Insider	Last	Malibu	Shark Tank		20/20	News	Kimmel
PBS 7	News	Busi	PBS NewsHour	Com	Group	Wash	Need		American Masters	Legis.	World
NBC 8	News	News	LEX 18	Access	Dateline NBC				Rock Center	News	Jay
WGN-A 9	Chris	Chris	Funny Videos	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother		News at Nine	Funny Videos	
FOX 11	Two	Theory	Two	Theory	Nightmares		Touch		News	Simpson	Fam Guy
CBS 12	News	CBS	Jubilee	King	The Job		CSI: NY		Blue Bloods	News	Overtime
TBS 13	King	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Fam Guy	Fam Guy	★ ★ Old School (2003)		(DVS)	News	There
ENC 14	Married	★ ★ Dennis the Menace	★ Jack and Jill (2011)	★ ★ The Butterfly Effect (2004)	★ ★ AF1						
FAM 15	Funny Videos	★ ★ Cheaper by the Dozen 2 (2005)	★ ★ Wild Hogs (2007)								The 700 Club
LIFE 16	Hoarders	Hoarders	Hoarders	Hoarders	Hoarders						Project Runway
A&E 17	Shipping	Shipping	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.
SHOW 19	★ ★ ★ Your Sister's Sister	★ ★ Red (2010)							Bill Bellamy's Ladies Night		Boxing
DISN 20	Good	Jessie	Good Luck Charlie	Jessie	ANT	Austin	Dog	Good	Austin	ANT	
MAX 21	★ ★ Alien vs. Predator (2004)	★ ★ Die Hard With a Vengeance							Banshee	Quickies	Girls
HBO 22	Diary of Wimpy-Rodrick	★ ★ X-Men: First Class (2011)							Real/Bill Maher	Real/Bill Maher	
AMC 24	★ ★ ★ True Lies (1994)	Cont'd	★ ★ The Cave (2005)						The Walking Dead	Comic	Freak
USA 25	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Suits	War	
DSC 26	Gold Rush	Gold Rush	Gold Rush	Gold Rush	Gold Rush	Gold Rush	Gold Rush	Gold Rush	Yukon Men	Gold Rush	Live
ESPN 27	SportsCenter		NBA	NBA Basketball: Timberwolves at Thunder					NBA Basketball		
TNT 32	The Mentalist	The Mentalist	★ ★ 300 (2007)	(DVS)					Dallas		Monday
SYFY 33	★ My Soul to Take (2010)		WWE Friday Night SmackDown!						Merlin		Being Human

SATURDAY EVENING February 23											
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
NBC 3	News	News	Wheel	Cash	Ninja Warrior		Chicago Fire		Sat. Night Live	News	SNL
CBS 4	News	News	Wheel	J'party!	NCIS		48 Hours		Vanity Fair's	News	Traveler
ABC 6	ABC	News	Paed	Courtesy	★ ★ ★ Dreamgirls (2006)					News	CSI
PBS 7	Lawrence Welk	Life	Red...	KY Life	Ken	★ ★ ★ Once (2008)			Out of	Austin City Limits	
NBC 8	News	News	Access Hollywood	Ninja Warrior	Chicago Fire		Sat. Night Live		News	SNL	
WGN-A 9	Law Order: CI	Funny Videos	Funny Videos	Funny Videos	Funny Videos		News at Nine		Bones		
FOX 11	Two	Theory	Two	Theory	Cops	Cops	The Following		News	Hell's Kitchen	
CBS 12	News	News	Cook & Chase	NCIS	48 Hours		Vanity Fair's		News	Paed	
TBS 13	King	King	King	Fam Guy	Theory	Theory	Theory	Theory	Theory	King of the Nerds	
ENC 14	★ ★ Analyze This (1999)				National Lampoon's Animal House	★ ★ The Benchwarmers					AceVent
FAM 15	Princess Drs	★ ★ The Wedding Planner (2001)					★ ★ Burlesque (2010)				
LIFE 16	★ ★ Accused at 17 (2009)				Stalked at 17 (2012)				Fugitive at 17 (2012)		
A&E 17	Barbar Kings	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage
SHOW 19	Eagles	★ ★ Die Another Day (2002)					Boxing: Cornelius Bundrage vs. Ishe Smith				Sports
DISN 20	Austin	Jessie	Jessie	Jessie	Jessie		Gravity	Dog	ANT	Jessie	Austin
MAX 21	WhatNumber	Sherlock Holmes: A Game of Shadows	Banshee	MAX/Set	★ ★ Meet the Fockers (2004)						
HBO 22	Fast	★ ★ Chronicle (2012)	★ ★ Wanderlust (2012)	★ ★ The Sitter (2011)	★ ★ Wanderlust (2012)						
AMC 24	★ ★ ★ The Shawshank Redemption (1994)				★ ★ ★ The Shawshank Redemption (1994)						
USA 25	National Treasure: Book of Secrets	★ ★ Schindler's List (1993)									Treasure
DSC 26	Fast N' Loud	Most Secret	Secret Service	Killing bin Laden	Argo: Inside Story		Killing bin Laden				
ESPN 27	College Basketball		College GameDay	College Basketball					SportsCenter		
TNT 32	Libra: Curse of Judas	★ ★ War of the Worlds (2005)	(DVS)	★ ★ War of the Worlds							
SYFY 33	Super Cyclone	★ ★ Meteor Storm (2010)			End of the World (2013)						Doomsday Pro

SUNDAY EVENING February 24											
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
NBC 8	News	News	Dateline NBC	Betty	Betty		Saturday Night Live in the 2000s		News	Storms	
CBS 4	News	News	60 Minutes	60 Minutes	The Amazing Race		The Good Wife		The Mentalist	News	Courtesy
ABC 6	ABC	News	Oscars Red Carpet Live	The Oscars							Seinfeld
PBS 7	Rough	Victory	Keep Up	Wine	TimeBy	Served?	Masterpiece Contemporary	Page Eight	Globe Trekker		
NBC 8	News	News	Dateline NBC	Betty	Betty		Saturday Night Live in the 2000s		News	Editor	
WGN-A 9	Videos	Bloopers	Bloopers	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	Funny Videos	30 Rock	30 Rock	
FOX 11	Theory	Theory	Burgers	Cleve	Simpson	Cleve	Fam Guy/Amer.		News	The	Auction
CBS 12	News	News	60 Minutes		The Amazing Race		The Good Wife		The Mentalist	News	Calipari
TBS 13	★ ★ Big Daddy (1999)				★ ★ The Hangover (2009)				Harold & Kumar Go to White Castle		
ENC 14	★ ★ Fear (1996)				★ ★ The Bourne Supremacy (2004)				★ ★ Heat (1995)		
FAM 15	★ ★ The Wedding Planner Cont'd				★ ★ The Lion King (1994)				★ ★ The Lion King (1994)		
LIFE 16	Cassey Anthony	Blue-Eyed Butcher (2012)			She Made Them Do It (2012)				Blue-Eyed Butcher		
A&E 17	Shipping/Shipping	Storage	Storage	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.
SHOW 19	Lara Croft-Life	Shameless		Lies	Califom.	Shameless		Lies	Califom.	Shameless	
DISN 20	Austin	ANT	Shake It	Dog	Dog	Austin	Shake It	Jessie	Austin	Jessie	ANT
MAX 21	★ ★ Safe House (2012)	Cont'd	★ ★ Jaws (1975)		★ ★ Saving Private Ryan (1996)						
HBO 22	X-Men: First Class	★ ★ The Walking Dead (2012)			Girls	En	Girls	En	Girls	En	
AMC 24	Catwoman Cont'd	The Walking Dead	The Walking Dead	The Walking Dead	The Walking Dead		The Walking Dead		The Walking Dead		
USA 25	NCIS: Blowback	NCIS: Trojan Horse	NCIS		NCIS		NCIS		White Collar		
DSC 26	Yukon Men	Yukon Men	Yukon Men	Yukon Men	Yukon Men	Yukon Men	Yukon Men	Yukon Men	Yukon Men	Yukon Men	Yukon Men
ESPN 27	SportsCenter	NBA Basketball: Grizzlies at Nets			NBA Basketball: Bulls at Thunder						
TNT 32	★ ★ Terminator Salvation Cont'd	★ ★ Clash of the Titans (2010)			★ ★ Terminator Salvation (2009)						
SYFY 33	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters

MONDAY EVENING February 25											
	6:00	8:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
NBC 8	News	News	Wheel	J'party!	The Biggest Loser: Face Your Fears		Deception		News	Jay	
CBS 4	News	CBS	Wheel	J'party!	Mother	Rules	Broke	Mike	Hawaii Five-0	News	Late Sh.
ABC 6	News	ABC	Ent	Insider	The Bachelor				Castle: Hunt	News	Kimmel
PBS 7	News	Busi	PBS NewsHour	Kentucky Tonight	Education Matters		Weather: Sale		Legis.	World	
NBC 8	News	News	LEX 18	Access	The Biggest Loser: Face Your Fears		Deception		News	Jay	
WGN-A 9	Chris	Chris	Funny Videos	Funny Videos	Funny Videos		News at Nine		Funny Videos		
FOX 11	Two	Theory	Two	Theory	Bones		The Following		News	Simpson	Fam Guy
CBS 12	News	CBS	Issues	King	Mother	Rules	Broke	Mike	Hawaii Five-0	News	Late Sh.
TBS 13	King	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Fam Guy	Fam Guy	Fam Guy	Fam Guy	Fam Guy	Conan	
ENC 14	Haunted	★ ★ Scary Movie 3 (2003)			★ ★ Waterworld (1995)				Pirates of the Caribbean		
FAM 15	Funny Videos	Switched at Birth			Switched at Birth				Switched at Birth		The 700 Club
LIFE 16	Movie				Pastor Brown (2009)				★ ★ Betty & Coretta (2013)		
A&E 17	Gangsters: Evil	Gangsters: Evil	Gangsters: Evil	Gangsters: Evil	Gangsters: Evil		Beyond Scared Straight		First		Lies
SHOW 19	Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn				Homeland		Califom.		Shameless		Comedy
DISN 20	Good	Jessie	Shake It	Dog	Austin	★ ★ Starsuck (2010)			Austin	Good	Jessie
MAX 21	Death	★ ★ No Escape (1994)			★ ★ Child's Play (1988)				Dragon Eyes (2012)		Banshee
HBO 22	Monte C	★ ★ The Girl (2012)			Real/Bill Maher	Beyonce: Life			★ ★ Wanderlust (2012)		
AMC 24	★ ★ A Knight's Tale (2011)	Cont'd	★ ★ Signs (2002)						★ ★ Demolition Man (1993)		
USA 25	NCIS: Mind Games	NCIS: Silver War			WWE Monday Night RAW				NCIS: Los Angeles		
DSC 26	Fast N' Loud	Fast N' Loud	Fast N' Loud	Fast N' Loud	Fast N' Loud		The Devils Fide		Fast N' Loud		
ESPN 27	SportsCenter	College Basketball			College Basketball				SportsCenter		
TNT 32	Castle	Castle	Castle	Castle	Dallas				Monday Mornings	Dallas	
SYFY 33	Repo Men Cont'd	Continuum	Continuum	Continuum	Being Human	Continuum	Continuum	Continuum	Continuum	Continuum	Continuum

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TUESDAY EVENING										February 26		
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	News	Wheel	J'party!	Betty	Betty	Go On	Normal	Smash :The Song	News	Jay	
CBS 4	News	CBS	Wheel	J'party!	NCIS :Detour		NCIS: Los Angeles		Golden Boy :Pilot	News	Late Sh.	
ABC 6	News	ABC	Ent	Insider	Celeb-Swap		The Taste		Body of Proof	News	Kimmel	
PBS 7	News	Busi	PBS NewsHour		Makers: Women Who Make America					Legis.	World	
NBC 8	News	News	LEX 13	Access	Betty	Betty	Go On	Normal	Smash :The Song	News	Jay	
WGN-A 9	Chris	Chris	Funny Videos		Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	News at Nine	Funny Videos		
FOX 11	Two	Theory	Two	Theory	Raising Hope		New Girl	Mindy	News	Simpson	Fam Guy	
CBS 12	News	CBS	Law	King	NCIS :Detour		NCIS: Los Angeles		Golden Boy :Pilot	News	Late Sh.	
TBS 13	King	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Theory	Theory	Theory	Theory	Cougar	Theory	Conan	
ENC 14	The Lost World: Jurassic Park Cont'd				*** Ali (2001)				*** Ali Force One (1997)			
FAM 15	Funny Videos		Pretty Little Liars		Pretty Little Liars		The Lying Game		Pretty Little Liars		The 700 Club	
LIFE 16	Dance Moms		Dance Moms		Dance Moms		Dance Moms		Double	Double	Double	Double
A&E 17	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage
SHOW 19	Big Easy I Will Follow (2010)				** ½ Red (2010)				Lies California Shameless			
DISN 20	Good	Jessie	Shake It	Jessie	Dog	Austin	Shake It	Gravity	Austin	Good	Jessie	Shake It
MAX 21	Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows				** ½ The Bone Collector (1999)				Anchorman: Legend of Ron Girls			
HBO 22	Red Riding Hood * ½ New Year's Eve (2011)				Parade's End				Parade's End Girls Horrible			
AMC 24	*** Signs (2002) Conf'd				** The League of Extraordinary Gentlemen				* ½ Constantine (2005)			
USA 25	Law & Order: SVU				Law & Order: SVU				White Collar			
DSC 26	Dual Survival		Dual Survival		Dual Survival		Dual Survival		Yukon Men		Dual Survival	
ESPN 27	SportsCenter		College Basketball				College Basketball				SportsCenter	
TNT 32	Castle :Ghosts		Castle		Castle		Castle		Castle		Southland :Heat	
SYFY 33	Eone Off		Eone Off		Eone Off		Eone Off		Robot Combat		Eone Off	

Community Bulletin Board

Farm equip. for rent at Conservation District

Morgan County Conservation District has for rent an aerator, two renovators, an ag sprayer, and a lime spreader for farm owners in Morgan County. Please call the Conservation District at (606) 743-3194 ext. 3 and speak to Donna Leach if you have any questions about renting this equipment or stop by the office at 955 Prestonsburg Street, Ste. 2, West Liberty. C-4-5-tf

OLIVER HANEY CEMETERY NOTICE

Thank you for your contributions last year to help keep the cemetery mowed and cleaned. I hope we can count on your continued support for this year. Contributions can be sent to the following address: Oliver Haney Cemetery Fund, c/o Shirley J. Cassidy, 900 Hwy. 844, West Liberty, Ky. 41472. C-4-12-tf

Gateway Job Club

The WIA program has a Job Club every week on Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. at the Gateway office. Our Job Club is located in the same building where the Morgan County Library is, on the 3rd floor--room 307. If you are unemployed then Job Club is the place to be. Job listings will be available at all meetings. We plan to have guest speakers from businesses at Job Club to inform you of what they look for in an employee. We offer help with resumes and interview skills. The Job Club services are free, so come out and join us. We look forward to assisting you. If you need additional information contact Sidney Castle at (606) 743-3133. C-7-19-TF

Save the date!

Save the date! Farm and Family Night will be held on Tuesday, March 12, at Morgan County High School. Brought to you by the Morgan County Extension Service. More details to follow in the coming weeks. C-1-31-2t

Homemakers host culture study, dinner

Morgan County Extension Homemakers will host their annual international cultural study and dinner. The meeting is open to anyone interested in learning more about Switzerland and the Kentucky Academy in Ghana. The study and dinner will be held at Morgan County Middle School Cafeteria on Friday evening, Feb. 22, and will begin with registration at 5:30 p.m. Members and families are expected and guests are welcome. A potluck meal featuring dishes with a Swiss flavor will be served. For additional information, contact an extension homemaker member or Nellie Buchanan, Morgan County Extension Agent for Family and Consumer Sciences, 743-3292.

Quilt block sessions scheduled at Salem Ch.

Quilt block sessions will be held on the following days at Salem Church off Hwy. 205 at 10:00 a.m.: Feb. 5, 21, 28; March 14 and 28; April 9 and 23.

Parent support group meeting slated Feb. 19

A parent support group meeting is scheduled 12-2 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 19, at Morgan County Public Library. Lunch will be provided. For more information contact Patti Elam at 606-743-7223. Call if childcare is needed.

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International Study and Dinner Feb. 22

Extension Homemakers will host their annual international study and dinner on Friday, Feb. 22, beginning with registration at 5:30 and dinner at 6 p.m., at the Morgan County Middle School cafeteria. See the enclosed flyer for additional information. Invite family and friends to join us for the evening of learning and a tasty pot luck dinner.

Tornado recovery help is available

Help is available for anyone affected by the March 2 tornado if your recovery needs have not been covered by insurance or FEMA. Those in most need will be helped first.

To discuss your unmet needs, call Linda at 743-1225. There is no application form, but information about your personal situation needs to be collected. Linda may be able to help you if you call.

Do you need assistance with repairs or with your rebuilding efforts?

We have many volunteers waiting to assist you. If you have these issues, please contact our office at the number listed below.

The Morgan County Long Term Recovery Team is a non-profit local organization whose goal is to help those who need help. Please call 743-1225.

Corn Hole Tourney rescheduled for Feb. 23

The MCHS Baseball team's annual corn hole tournament scheduled earlier this month was postponed due to inclement weather. The tournament has been rescheduled for Saturday, Feb. 23, at Morgan County High School gymnasium. Sign ups begin at 10 a.m. and tourney at 11 a.m. Prizes will be awarded for first, second, and third place teams. For more information contact: Mark "Polo" Easterling, MCHS Head Baseball Coach, 743-3205 (home), or 359-2168 (cell). All proceeds support; MCHS Cougar Baseball. C-2-14-1t

Valentine's Sweetheart Pageant set Feb. 23rd

Valentine's Sweetheart Pageant will be Saturday, Feb. 23, beginning at 4 p.m., at Morgan Central Elementary. The event is presented by Ky. Crowning Stars Pageant. Call (606) 495-8001 for additional information.

Dr. Seuss' birthday party Mar. 1 at library

You're invited to Dr. Seuss' birthday party on Friday, March 1, at 3:30 p.m., at Morgan County Public Library. Please join us for story time, crafts and refreshments! C-2-21-2t

Adam C. Montgomery scholarship deadline

The Adam Colt Montgomery Memorial Scholarship is a one-time \$500 academic award. Application deadline is April 12, 2012. Please see your Guidance Counselor for an application. C-2-21-4t

East Valley Elem. K-2 grades selling meals

East Valley Elementary K-2nd grades are now taking orders and will be selling meals on Friday, March 1, at Index Community Church. All proceeds will help fund Spring field trips. The meal will include chili, peanut butter sandwich, crackers, chocolate cake/chocolate icing, \$7 for meal and dessert, (\$6 without dessert). Money is due when ordering. Monetary donations are also greatly appreciated.

Cattlemen's Short Course slated

14th Annual multi county beef education event will be held March 7, 12 and 19 at the 504 Firehouse, in Elliott County, north of Sandy Hook, off of Route 7. C-2-21-3t

Flannery reunion Saturday, April 27

The 7th Annual Flannery reunion will be held Saturday, April 27, at Oldtown Volunteer Fire Department, in Greenup County, starting at noon. For additional information contact Brian Flannery at (606) 473-7948. C-2-21-8t

City Council to meet Monday, Feb. 25

The West Liberty City Council Regular Council meeting will be held Monday, Feb. 25, at 5:00 p.m., in the West Liberty City Hall Council Room. All meetings are open to the public.

Food give-away schedule at Lick Fork Church

Morgan County food give-away Wednesday, Feb. 27, at Lick Fork Pentecostal Church, Hwy. 7, West Liberty. The following time schedule must be followed, last names beginning with:

U-Z--10:00 a.m.
A-D--11:00 a.m.
12-1 CLOSED
E-H--1:00 p.m.
I-M--1:30 p.m.
N-T--2:00 p.m.

Morgan County residents only. Limit ONE per household. You must bring ID with your correct name and address and you cannot pick up for anyone else until 2:45, then only for one and you must have written permission with ID. Thank you for your cooperation.

Gospel sing slated at CountrySide Church

Two For One will be the featured singers at CountrySide Community Church during a gospel sing on Friday, Feb. 22, beginning at 7 p.m. The church is located approximately 5 miles East on Route 134 (Johnson Fork Road). Pastor James Hinton and congregation welcome all to come out and enjoy fellowship with brothers and sisters in Christ. We hope to see everyone there.

Northeastern Ky. Beekeepers School

Co-hosted by our local Mountain Beekeepers Association, this school offers a wonderful educational day complete with lunch, vendor booths and many door prizes for new and experienced beekeepers alike. The school will be held Saturday, Feb. 23, at the Carl Perkins Center, in Morehead. Registration is from 8:00 to 9:00 a.m., with coffee and doughnuts. Classes begin at 9 a.m. and will conclude at 3:30 p.m. The cost is \$25. For a detailed program, contact the Extension Office at 743-3292 or sfannin@uky.edu.

Two For One to sing at Wms. Ck. Elkfork Ch.

Two For One will be singing at Williams Creek Elkfork Community Church on Sunday, Feb. 24, during the 11 a.m. worship service. They are known throughout our county and are loved by everyone who hears them sing praises to our Lord. Join us as we worship together. Everyone invited by the pastor, Herbert Wright, and assistant pastor, Danny Price.

Short Course to vegetable production

Short course to vegetable production will be offered Feb. 25 and 26. This free day and a half course will be offered at the Boyd County Extension Franks Building. Van transportation from Morgan County Extension Service will be offered with prior notice. Classes will cover irrigation, fertility management, variety selection, postharvest handling, organic production, weed management, insect and disease identification and control, equipment usage and marketing. This will be a great class for those interested in growing to sell at Farmer's Markets, commercially or improving their home gardening techniques. For a detailed program or to reserve a van seat, contact the Extension Office at 743-3292 or sfannin@uky.edu.

Mt. Monday Series--Fruit tree care Mar. 11

Mountain Monday Series--Fruit Tree Pruning and Grafting with UK Horticulturist Dr. John Strang will be conducted at UK Robinson Center Auditorium, at Jackson, on Monday, March 11, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.. Pre registration required and fee of \$10. For more information, please contact Jackie Allen, (606) 666-2438, Ext. 285, or jackie.allen@uky.edu. C-2-21-2t

Food giveaway at Lick Fork Church Feb. 27

Morgan County food give-away Wednesday, Feb. 27, at Lick Fork Pentecostal Church, Hwy. 7, West Liberty. The following time schedule must be followed, last names beginning with: U-Z--10 a.m., A-D--11 a.m., A-D closed, E-H--1:00 p.m., I-M--1:30 p.m., N-T--2:00 p.m. Morgan County residents only. Limit ONE per household. You must bring ID with your correct name and address and you can not pick up for anyone else until 2:45, then only for one and you must have written permission with ID. Thank you for your cooperation.

Caney Valley News

By Tracey Hatton

Feb. 18 -- Hello again from Caney Valley:

Let's have a heart to heart talk. I want to share some statistics with you from the CDC on heart disease. These facts you can find on cdc.gov:

- Did you know that approximately 600,000 people die of heart disease in the United States each year? That is one of four deaths each year is related to a form of heart disease.
- Heart disease is the leading cause of death in men and women.
- Every year about 935,000 Americans have a heart attack. Of these, 610,000 people will experience their first heart attack.
- In the United States someone has a heart attack every 34 seconds.

You may think, "This won't happen to me." Well I'm here to say maybe or maybe not, but you have become aware, and awareness is what is needed when discussing matters of the heart.

The physical characteristics of the heart: It is an organ, a muscle. It is the size of a fist. It is continually beating, pumping oxygen rich blood throughout the body. It has four chambers, two atria and two ventricles. It has valves that open and close. It needs to be exercised by tools such as walking, eating better, and to change risk factors that could damage the heart. The normal heart rate in adults is 60-100 beats per minute. These are just a few physical facts about the heart.

Let's talk about the emotional side of the heart. We use words to describe feelings such

Lower Elkfork By Alpha Clevenger

Jan. 28--Sympathy is extended to the family of Seola Turner, who passed away Monday. May God bless and comfort all her family. She had been ill for a long time. She was the daughter of the late Emory and Nancy Click, of Wrigley, and she married Charles Turner. They resided at Wrigley also. I visited the funeral home before the funeral on Friday. She will be sadly missed by all her family and friends. Seola was a good wife, mother and grandmother. She worked hard for her family. We've known them for years. She was related to my late husband.

Get well wishes to all the sick and shut ins, and sympathy to those who are bereaved.

The other day I was looking out of the kitchen window at the birds eating. I have fed them all winter and there's lots of every kind except blue jays. I used to have plenty of them but I haven't seen any this winter. There was a beautiful black and white bird I had never seem one like before. It was sort of a long like bird, not real large. I kept looking at the bird and you know what I said to myself... a black and white bird, you're in style now. Everyone you see just about on T.V. etc is wearing black and white.

I called Dempsey today, Feb. 3, and wished him a happy birthday and I baked him a cake and two pies. I meant to cook chicken for his birthday. I called him and told him I baked him a cake and he said "don't get out on the roads today, wait till tomorrow and the weather may be better." So I told him I would wait till tomorrow. Rosie had surgery recently and has been confined at home for over a week or longer, but she is now improving and getting along just fine.

Joy calls and checks on me often. Good to hear from her. They were fine and enjoying the beautiful white snow. The first

Rootstock for Apples and Peaches available

Contact the Extension Service at 743-3292 or sfannin@uky.edu to order grafting rootstock. Each piece costs \$1 and will arrive the first week of March. You may use this year's growth (scion wood) from your favorite apple or peach tree to graft to rootstock to form a small tree seedling. Directions are available.

Morgan Co. Farmers Market meet. Mar. 21

Interested in selling at the Morgan County Farmers Market? Then attend their first meeting of the year on Thursday, March 21, at 5:30 p.m., at the Morgan County Extension Farm.

as happy, cheerful, sad, broken, love, concern, distress, etc... The emotions that we feel we take to heart. We laugh, we cry, we celebrate, we mourn.

Then there is a spiritual covering of the heart that needs to be addressed to every individual. The spiritual heart is moved upon by God. People have a head knowledge of God, but all people do not have a heart knowledge of God.

In scripture, Luke 6:45, "A good man out of the good treasure of his heart bringeth forth that which is good."

In Romans 10:10, "For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation."

In Philippians 4:7, "And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding shall keep your hearts and minds through Jesus Christ."

In the words of Jesus, John 14:1, "Let not your hearts be troubled; ye believe in God, believe also in me."

This is the heart that will live forever. Is your heart prepared to meet God? Search your heart. Search your life.

In Romans 8:27, "And he that searcheth the hearts knoweth what is the mind of the Spirit, because he maketh intercession for the saints according to the will of God."

Morgan Central Elementary School had a school wide Valentine Dance on Valentine's Day. The Morgan Central PTO sponsored this event. The Morgan Central PTO does so much for our students. The girls and boys looked beautiful and handsome. The smiles and the memories will always be with them and this will be one Valentine's dance they will not forget. On Monday, Feb. 18, El-

big snow of the winter. I'm so glad it came. I had wanted it to snow and if finally came. Thank God for the beautiful snow.

I haven't written a column for a while. Just been busy and I became ill and went to the doctor and the doctor put me on medication. I had a sinus infection and the doctor ordered me to stay in and take all my medication. I stayed inside for over a week. I'm now improving and able to walk and do my chores. Thank God for that. God gave me new strength and I never gave up. I prayed every day and thanked Him for all he had done for me. He's the best friend we ever had. He never leaves us nor forsakes us.

We listen to Rev. Vernon Lewis every Sunday at 1 p.m. on radio station W.L.K.S. West Liberty. I heard him say they had a revival at his church, at Blaze, for two or three weeks, and it was a wonderful revival. So many got saved. I wish I could have attended that revival but I don't get out at night and drive. I wish he had church on Sunday at his church, but they only have church on Wednesday night, Saturday and Sunday night.

Get well wishes to Irene Dunn, who has been ill and hospitalized for a while. I haven't heard from her for a while. I hope she is improving and will be able to return back home real soon. She was a good friend of mine.

I met up with my neighbor, Shirley Perry, at the Dollar Store recently. My first time to see and talk to her. She sure is a nice and friendly person. Good to see her. We are neighbors and never had met. I hope to see her again real soon.

I talked to Tammy Celina on Thursday. Glad to hear from her again. She said she is looking forward to spring as we all are, planting flowers in the yard and looking and enjoying all the beautiful scenery upon the hillside, and birds singing, Easter lilies blooming, red buds in bloom, and the beautiful dog-

Backyard Poultry classes slated

Van transportation to these two meetings will be offered from the Morgan County Extension Service leaving at 5 p.m.--call ahead to reserve a seat! Dr. Anthony Pescatore, UK Poultry Specialist, will be the speaker each night. No charge. Tuesday, Feb. 26, 6 p.m., Breathitt County Extension Service--"Breeds, Feeding & Housing"; Tuesday, March 5, 6 p.m., Wolfe County Extension Service--"Disease Management".

mer and Eunice Hatton were visited by their three great-grandchildren, Jaylynne Renee Craft, Brennen James Craft and Benjamin Samuel Miller. Three of their grandchildren were also present, Sam and Trish Hatton Miller, Bridgett Hatton Craft and Rachel Hatton. Also there to visit were their sons, Eric Hatton, Ralph Hatton and wife Becky and their grandson, Luke, and Daniel Hatton. They had a wonderful visit and many pictures were taken.

If any and all that are able to come and worship on Sundays, there is plenty of churches around that would welcome you.

As the old song says, "I'll meet you in church Sunday morning and we all kneel down and pray. We'll pray to our Lord up in heaven." What a great way to spend the day.

Prayer Requests

Logan Easterling, Allison Harrison, Mickey Whitt, Jimmy Reed, Berchlene and Woodford Henry, Sandra Boatright, McKenna Tackett, Stanley and Avanel Whisman, Cheryl Perry, Jim and Sharon Sparks, Bro. Tim and Sarilda Clark, Bill and Sandy Gullett, H.C. Prater, Bro. George and Joretta Oney, Jim Fletcher, Randy Adkins, Ryan Stacy, Mary Whitt, Debbie Lindon, Mark Havens and Lee Cain.

Happy Birthday

Eric Hatton, Brenda Hatton, Trisha Hatton Miller, Laci Hillman, John Lawson, Jessica Whitt, Devona Kelsey, Robin Dickerson, Regina Thomas, Geneva Barker, Becky Brickey, Sonya Oldham, Tonya Moore and Amanda Grone.

Happy Anniversary

Betty and Dale Smith. May God bless and keep you.

woods in bloom. Springtime is such a beautiful time of year, and everyone loves springtime.

Joy called on Friday. Good to talk to her again. She said she hadn't been feeling up to par lately and went to see Dr. Lucas. Get well wishes to her.

I talked to Helen Lewis recently. They were fine, but she said Millard had been on the sick list with shingles. He is now improved. She said they prayed for him and the Lord touched him and he is now able to be out and about.

Please, everyone, pray for Dempsey. I talked to him Saturday morning and he said he felt sick to his stomach, and didn't feel well at all. He works so hard and don't get much rest. I worry about him so much and pray for him every day, as I do all the rest of my family. I worry about them all. Dempsey don't take care of himself. Get well wishes to them and God bless you all. I love you.

Rosie is improving nicely after her surgery. She's glad its over now and back to normal.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Lillian Fannin. I've known her and her family for a long time. She was nice and friendly. I attended her viewing at Herald and Stewart and Halsey Funeral Home. May God bless and comfort all the family in their loss.

I talked to Joann recently. Good to talk to her. She's a nice person, always the same.

I sometimes go to the radio station, W.L.K.S. in West Liberty, on Sunday at 12 o'clock and sing with them to help them out on Helen Lewis' broadcast. She wanted me to sing with them and I'm so glad she asked me, bit I have been on the sick list for a couple of weeks with sinus infection and had to stay in (doctor's orders), but I'm now feeling much better, thank the Lord. I plan on going next Sunday, Lord's willing. I love go to and help out when I can.

I talked to Tammy Celina Friday evening. good to talk to her.

Farm and Family Night set March 12 at MCHS

Morgan County Extension Farm and Family Night is set for Tuesday, March 12, at Morgan County High School. This annual event offers many classes including beekeeping, beef basics, home gardening and severe weather preparedness plus lots more, displays, door prizes and free meal.

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Your Social Security Social Security and Tax Time

April's showers bring more than just May's flowers—they also bring the deadline day for filing taxes. Don't wait until the showers arrive to prepare for tax season. Whether you are a small business owner, a retiree, or a new parent, here are some Social Security tax tips that may help you.

Are Social Security benefits taxable? They are for some people. About one third of those receiving benefits must pay taxes on some of their Social Security. If your total income, including Social Security and all of your other taxable income, is \$25,000 or more and you file federal taxes as an individual, you'll need to pay federal taxes on some of your benefits. (That amount is \$32,000 for married couples filing a joint return.)

Will I get a tax form for my Social Security benefits? Yes. In fact, you should have already received it. Social Security Benefit Statements (Form SSA-1099) for tax year 2012 were mailed to beneficiaries and should have been received by January 31, 2013. If you receive Social Security and haven't received your 1099, you can request one online at www.socialsecurity.gov/1099.

We had our first child in 2012. Does our baby need a Social Security Number? Yes. Most people apply for their baby's Social Security number while they're still in the hospital at the same time they apply for the birth certificate. But if you didn't, you'll need to apply for your child's Social Security number in order to claim the child as a dependent on your tax return. You'll also need it if you ever apply for government benefits on behalf of the child or your family. Learn more

about Social Security cards and numbers at www.socialsecurity.gov/ssnumber er.

I changed my name when I got married last year. Do I need to report it to Social Security? Yes. If you've legally changed your name due to marriage, divorce, court order, or for any other reason, make sure you change your name with Social Security, as well as with your employer. If you change with one source but not the other, it could cause your earnings to be inappropriately recorded. That could result in you not getting all the benefits you earned when you become eligible for Social Security in the future. You can learn more about your Social Security number and how to change your name at www.socialsecurity.gov/ssnumber.

I own a small business. Can I report the W-2s of my employees online to Social Security? Yes, and we encourage you to do so at www.socialsecurity.gov/bso. Filing your W-2s electronically is free, fast, and secure! Plus there's an added bonus: when you file electronically filed W-2s aren't due until March 31st. You'll also receive an electronic acknowledgement receipt. And when you file electronically, you can print out your W-2s for your employees.

Does Social Security have any advice to make tax filing and future benefit applications go smoothly? We encourage you to carefully check your name, Social Security number and all of the data on your W-2s, your online Social Security Statement and Social Security card to make sure they all match. If you don't have access to your card or Statement but know your Social Security number, make sure the number and information is correct on your W-2s. A mismatch could delay your tax refund and cause problems with your Social Security benefits in the future. Such errors and much easier to fix now. If you do notice an error, you should contact Social Security at 1-800-772-1213 (TTY 1-800-325-0778), or if the information on the W-2 is incorrect, notify your employer. For more information about Social Security, visit www.socialsecurity.gov.

Bernard O'Nan is the District Manager at the Ashland Social Security Office. If you have questions or concerns, please contact the Ashland office toll free at (866)269-3993.

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Earthquake Safety: Plan Ahead

Provided By Your Local Emergency Management Office

WHAT TO DO BEFORE AN EARTHQUAKE

Earthquakes strike suddenly, violently and without warning. Identifying potential hazards ahead of time and advance planning can reduce the dangers of serious injury or loss of life from an earthquake. Repairing deep plaster cracks in ceilings and foundations, anchoring overhead lighting fixtures to the ceiling, and following local seismic building standards, will help reduce the impact of earthquakes.

Six Ways to Plan Ahead:
Check for Hazards in the Home

•Fasten shelves securely to walls.

•Place large or heavy objects on lower shelves.

•Store breakable items such as bottled foods, glass, and china in low, closed cabinets with latches.

•Hang heavy items such as pictures and mirrors away from beds, couches, and anywhere people sit.

•Brace overhead light fixtures.

•Repair defective electrical wiring and leaky gas connections. These are potential fire risks.

•Secure a water heater by strapping it to the wall studs and bolting it to the floor.

•Repair any deep cracks in ceilings or foundations. Get expert advice if there are signs of structural defects.

•Store weed killers, pesticides, and flammable products securely in closed cabinets with latches and on bottom shelves.

Identify Safe Places Indoors

and Outdoors

•Under sturdy furniture such as a heavy desk or table.

•Against an inside wall.
•Away from where glass could shatter around windows, mirrors, pictures, or where heavy bookcases or other heavy furniture could fall over.

•In the open, away from buildings, trees, and telephone and electrical lines, overpasses, or elevated expressways.

Educate Yourself and Family Members:

Contact your local emergency management office for more information on earthquakes. Teach children how and when to call 911, police, or fire department and which radio station to tune to for emergency information. Teach all family members how and when to turn

off gas, electricity, and water.

Have Disaster Supplies on Hand:

•Flashlight and extra batteries.

•Portable battery-operated radio and extra batteries.

•First aid kit and manual.

•Emergency food and water.

•Non-electric can opener.

•Essential medicines.

•Cash and credit cards.

•Sturdy shoes.

Develop an Emergency Communication Plan:

In case family members are separated from one another during an earthquake (a real possibility during the day when adults are at work and children are at school); develop a plan for reuniting after the disaster. Ask an out-of-state relative or friend to serve as the "family contact." After a disaster, it's often easier to call long distance. Make sure everyone in the family knows the name, address, and telephone number of the contact person.

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Late winter prime time for sauger and walleye

If fishing is one of your true loves, then think of Valentine's Day as the start of the best fishing of the year for sauger and walleye in Kentucky rivers and tailwaters. The water may still be cold with temperatures in the high 30s and low 40s, but the fishing can be hot.

"What's challenging about sauger is it's either boom or bust," said fisheries biologist Ryan Oster, of the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources. "It's a seasonal fishery because of their biology."

The best opportunity of the year to catch sauger in numbers is when they gang up below dams, prior to spawning. "By April, they disperse and migrate back down river," said Oster. "They are so spread out it's hard to catch more than one or two."

Kentucky has six rivers that support quality sauger fisheries — the Mississippi, Ohio, Kentucky, lower Green, lower Tennessee and Cumberland. Statewide, there's a daily creel limit of six sauger, with no minimum size limit; however, special regulations apply in some waters.

Walleye are also present in nearby Paintsville Lake and five other central and eastern Kentucky impoundments: Lake Cumberland, Laurel River Lake, Carr Fork Lake, Nolin River Lake, and Green River Lake. These fishable populations were established through decades of stockings and intensive management. They began in the 1960s when the fisheries division stocked the Lake Erie strain of walleye, which is more suited to lake environments.

In the late winter, these walleye also make seasonal runs upstream into tailwaters where they stack up below dams.

Typically, walleye escape from lakes when there is a sudden rise due to heavy rains or snow melt. Walleye in rivers

are attracted to the current that's created by heavy discharges through dams.

Statewide, there's a 15-inch minimum size limit on walleye and a six-fish daily creel limit.

Oster said vertical jigging is his go-to presentation for catching both sauger and walleye in late winter.

"It's easy to efficiently probe bottom structure such as humps, rock piles, and deep holes," said Oster. "Sauger and walleye also like to stack up in eddies and along current seams below dams. They conserve energy by staying out of the current, then dart out to grab a minnow as it swims by."

By fishing vertically, there's less chance of getting hung up, too. "Use your electronics to locate fish and then put your lure right in front of their noses," he said.

Sauger and walleye typically lay right on or close to the bottom and look up for prey to ambush. "They have good vision and can see the colors green and orange best," said Oster.

Oster prefers tipping his lead head jigs with plastic curlytail grubs rather than live minnows. "You can catch multiple fish without having to re-bait," he said. "A 3/8 or 1/2 ounce jig is usually heavy enough to stay in contact with the bottom where I fish, but in deeper water or in heavier current, more weight is needed. Raise and lower the rod so that the jig swims along about four inches off the bottom."

A second option is vertical jigging blade baits, thin metal crankbaits with lead heads that imitate a shad. "I lower the bait down until it hits bottom, then I reel it up about six inches," explained Oster. "I pull the lure up, with a sharp jerk of the rod, and keep the line tight enough to feel the lure wobble back down. Most bites will occur on

the fall."

A third vertical presentation for sauger and walleye in the late winter is rigging a floating crankbait on the 3-way swivel, with the weight on the bottom and a small, floating crankbait tied to an 18- to 24-inch leader that's tied to the third eyelet. This presentation allows the weight to slip or break off while saving the expensive crankbait.

The current license year expires Feb. 28. If you plan to fish after March 1, you'll need to buy a new fishing license, available in the sporting goods section of department stores and tackle shops. Licenses and permits may also be purchased online from the Kentucky Fish and Wildlife homepage at fw.ky.gov or by calling 1-877-598-2401. The entire Spring Fishing Frenzy series will be posted at this same website for future access to these articles.

Author Ari Lander Jr. has been writing about the outdoors since the 1970s. He is a staff writer for Kentucky Afield Magazine.

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When transferring farm fuels, bond the containers to each other, and ground the one being dispensed from to prevent sparks from static electricity. Clean up spills right away and put oily rags in a tightly covered metal container. Change your clothes immediately if you get oil or solvents on them.

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COURIER SPORTS

Morgan County Basketball

Cougars beat Elliott to earn berth in district championship game

Secure first regional tourney appearance since 2005; Meet West Carter tonight (Thursday) for title

By David Patrick

Survive and advance. Come tournament time, that's the bottom line. And for the first time in eight years, Morgan County boys' basketball will live to see another day in the postseason.

Seniors Jordan Whitt and Aleksander Malinic combined for 37 points and 17 rebounds as the Cougars beat Elliott County (63 - 60) in the opening round of the 62nd district tournament in Grayson on Monday.

"I'm happy for our players, our coaches and the school," Cougar head coach Matthew Perry said. "For one thing, it gets the monkey off our back. All the hard work we've put in has paid off. It's good to know you're going back to Morehead (regional tournament)."

While the win was gratifying, there was nothing easy about it. The Lions scored first and jumped out to a 9 - 4 advantage before a 14 - 6 run gave Morgan a four point lead after one quarter. Samuel Aguirre scored two baskets to help extend the lead to 24 - 18. A field goal from Jordan Perry made it a nine-point bulge at intermission.

But the Cougars simply could not put Elliott away, and it nearly cost them the game—and the season. After two free-throws from Whitt gave Morgan an 11-point lead early

in the third period, the Lions began to methodically chip away. Elliott went on a 20 - 7 run, capped by an NBA-range three-pointer from senior guard Jesse Flanery for a 43 - 41 lead to close the third quarter.

But coach Matthew Perry's team answered the bell in the final eight minutes. Aguirre set the tone, drilling a three of his own to give Morgan a 46 - 43 lead. Whitt and Aguirre followed with back-to-back buckets to make it a seven-point game.

Morgan would never relinquish the lead, with baskets by Whitt, Aguirre and Malinic keeping it a two-possession game. After Elliott trimmed the deficit to one (60 - 59), Jordan Perry hit a pair of free-throws with 15 seconds left for a 62 - 59 lead.

However, things got a bit crazy—if not bizarre—in the final second. After a made free-throw from Malinic gave Morgan a 63 - 59 lead with less than second remaining, a Cougar player left the bench and ran onto the floor—believing a time out had been called.

"As a coach, you want to see emotion from your kids, but it's got to be done the right way," coach Perry said. "You have to stay behind the lines and be disciplined in what you do. I know it was an honest mistake

and our player was just excited. It's a lesson learned and we move on."

By rule, a technical foul was rightfully issued on the player, sending Elliott to the line for two free-throws and the ensuing possession. Fortunately for Morgan, only one free-throw was converted and the final shot missed as the Cougars escaped with a three-point thriller.

Whitt paced Morgan with a team-best 20 points, while Malinic added 17. Aguirre and Perry both finished in double figures, tallying 12 and 10 points, respectively.

Morgan's win was its first in post-season play since coming into the 62nd district back in 2006. The Cougars will now meet West Carter in the championship game tonight (Thursday) at East Carter High School.

"We know we've got a tough game ahead of us with West," Perry said. "They'll throw everything at us—zones, man-to-man, 1-3-1, you name it. Coach Webb will be ready. I think we'll play loose, confident and give a good effort. We're excited to have a shot at a district championship."

Grand Prix Table Tennis

Howard defeats Legend for his 13th GPTT Title

Jonathan Howard won his 13th GPTT Championship from 'The Legend' Byron Risner at GPTT Meet 4 of 2013. Howard started off strong, winning the first two games, while Risner countered by winning the next two games. Howard then finished off the match with two straight wins in the 5th and 6th games.

The Risner-Howard rivalry has developed into one of the best in league history. Risner has a narrow 8-7 advantage in their last 15 matches.

Greg and Jonathan Howard won their 4th GPTT Doubles Championship by defeating Byron Risner and Langley Franklin in a close series that went to the fifth and final game. Greg and Jonathan won the title match opportunity by defeating Wade O'Connor and Cody Risner.

Cody 'Tex' Risner defeated Greg Howard to retain the Top-10 Championship in another match that went down to the

wire in the fifth game. Howard had Risner down two games to zero, but the champ rallied to win three straight and retain the number one contender's spot.

Wade O'Connor a Morgan County native, made his GPTT debut at Meet 4. Wade made a huge impact by edging Challenge Champion Langley Franklin to win the title. Franklin had defeated O'Connor earlier in round robin play, in another exciting match. This could be the start of an exciting new rivalry.

Round robin play featured five of GPTT's best vying for championship opportunities in the title round. Jonathan Howard won the group going 4-0, and earning his GPTT Title match later in the meet; Cody Risner took second place going 3-1; Greg Howard took third going 2-2; Langley Franklin finished in fourth, while Wade O'Connor was fifth.

The GPTT Board is looking to start the new Senior Division during the first week of

April. The Senior Division will be for players 50 years of age and over.

"We are really excited to present this division to the public," says GPTT Board Member Glenn Duff of Wolfe County. "We feel that this could become our strongest division as there is a lot of tremendous players out there in this age group. We want to encourage players that are interested in the senior division to come to our meets on Thursday, prior to the inaugural championship tournament, so they can practice up. We have six tables so there will be plenty of table time for them."

Players that are interested may call our Senior Division Organizer Langley Franklin at 606-743-4415 or GPTT President Byron Risner 606-662-6332. You can also contact us by email at gpttky@gmx.com

Our next meet will be on Thursday, February 21 at the Index Community Center with a 6 pm start time. We invite you to intend and get in on the fun. You can visit us on the web at www.gptt.org or call 606-662-6332 for more information about our club

Input sought on extending rabbit hunting season

FRANKFORT, Ky. — The Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources is seeking input from the public on a proposal to lengthen the next rabbit hunting season.

Department officials have received a request to create one statewide rabbit season

starting Nov. 1 and closing Feb. 10. Currently, rabbit season in the eastern rabbit hunting zone of the state is slated to open Nov. 1, 2013, and close Jan. 31, 2014. In the western rabbit hunting zone, the season is scheduled to open Nov. 11, 2013, and continue until Feb. 10, 2014.

The department is gathering public input using an online questionnaire to help determine whether hunters support or oppose this proposal. The

questionnaire can be completed on the department's website at fw.ky.gov.

The questionnaire contains basic facts about long-term rabbit populations in Kentucky so participants can make informed choices. The questionnaire takes only a few minutes to complete.

Results from the public input will be presented for consideration at the March 8 meeting of the Kentucky Fish and Wildlife Commission.

Kentucky Grouse Hunters Assn. Banquet Feb. 23 in West Liberty

The Kentucky Grouse Hunters Association was founded in 1995, in Paintsville, Kentucky and has held its annual banquet in Paintsville every year since its founding. Since 1995, the KGHA has grown in membership due to its commitment to habitat and small game hunters. In 2011 a new chapter of KGHA was formed in Morgan County and has increased its membership since its formation. The 2012 Banquet was held on February 25, 2012, with overwhelming support from businesses, sponsors and members from West Liberty and Morgan County. There were attendees from over 20 Kentucky counties and six states. But before appreciation or the kindness and generosity shown by the businesses and citizens of Morgan County could be displayed, a tragic event took place. Two tornadoes swept through our area destroying our supporter's homes and places of business.

To show appreciation to our sponsors and supporters, for the first time we will hold our annual banquet outside of Paintsville and in West Liberty at the Index Church Community Center. Our Banquet will be free of charge to attendees and in appreciation of these businesses and members. Guest speakers

will include 8th District Commissioner of the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources Norman (Joe) Fryman, 7th District Commissioner Voncel Thacker, Wildlife Director Karen Waldrop and League of Kentucky Sportsman's President Mark Nethery. Also speaking will be Morgan County's own Marshall Jordan who was one of two youth recipients of a youth hunt funded by the KGHA this past Fall. The other recipient was Whitney Pennington, of Elliott County. Both youth were top shooters for the Morgan/Elliott 4 H shooting sports and earning them this opportunity.

The KGHA will open the doors for the Banquet at 6:00 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 23, and events begin at 7:00 p.m. If you plan on attending please call (606) 495-8805 and give your name and number of guest that will be in your group so we will be able to accommodate everyone. You can find out more about KGHA by visiting our website at www.kygrousehunters.com and once again, thank you West Liberty and Morgan County for your support.

Jimmy Cantrell, KGHA Board member and LKS Director 8th Wildlife District

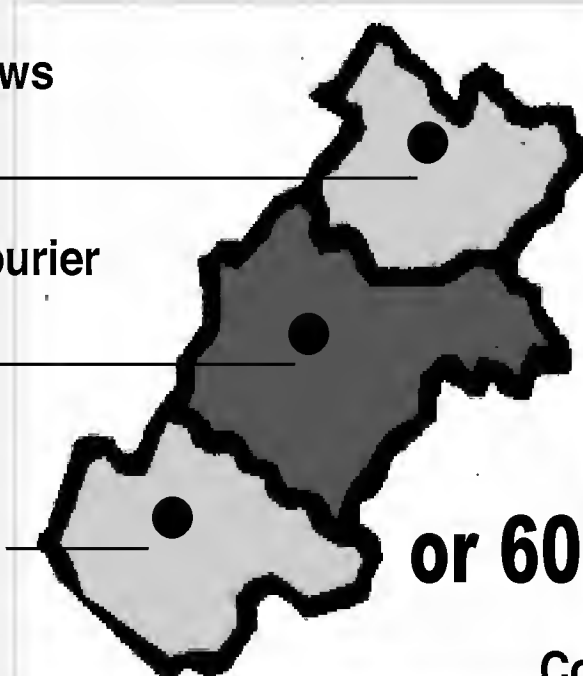
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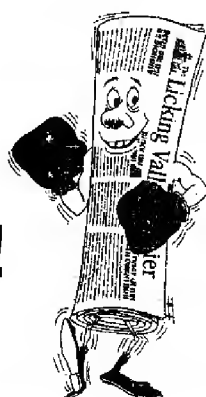


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About fifty years hence, many of the descendants of those persecuted Baptist were settled in Eastern Kentucky. And being a religious people, the early settlers of Morgan County, later Wolfe County Kentucky, established a place of worship soon after settling in the county. Records show that the Old Primitive Baptist Church on the Baptist Fork of Stillwater Creek was organized by two early preachers, William Lykins and Daniel Duff, in 1837, and the church was built upon two acres of land donated by Abraham and Deborah Ogden Swango. They stipulated in the deed that if for any reason the land was no longer needed as a church site, its ownership would revert to Swango heirs.

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Why Would Anyone Need a Military Styled Assault Weapon?

By Dr. Harold Pease

No one needs a military styled assault weapon for personal protection or hunting. Some wonder why we can't let this part of the 2nd Amendment go?

Many may not remember their basic U.S. History courses and a little review might help us understand why the Second Amendment exists in the first place. Certainly, when enacted, their was no thought of restricting type of firearm, or where, or who could carry. So its placement as the second most valued freedom in the Bill of Rights had nothing to do with personal safety, or even hunting, these were already assumed. It was specifically placed right after freedom of religion, speech, press and assembly to make certain that these freedoms were never taken from us. It was aimed (if I may use this word in this context) squarely at the government. But certainly we need have no fear of the government today?

To understand it more fully one must remember that the early patriots did not ask the existing British government if they could revolt against them.

expected to suffer evils while sufferable, "but when a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariable the same object, evinces a design to reduce them under absolute despotism, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such government, and to provide new guards for their future security."

The right of revolution requires the means of revolution and this is why the Second Amendment exists. Normally the ballot box is the only self-correction that is needed but they had no intention of giving up the same right that they exercised to give us freedom in the first place. Nor were they pious enough to assume that their correction would stay in place and that future generations would never need the more serious self-correction as they had.

The wordage of the 2nd Amendment was stronger than any other sentence in the Constitution. "A well regulated militia, being necessary to the security of a free state, the right of the people to keep and bear arms, shall not be infringed." They saw this right as being connected with a free country

Revere's desperate midnight ride warning the Americans en-route, make sense. The Battle of Saratoga preventing the conquest of the northeast by General Johnny Burgoyne was stopped, not by the military, but by angry farmers with their own military styled assault rifles. This American victory encouraged other countries, notably France, to come into the war on our side. It is doubtful that we would have won the war, and freedom, without an armed citizenry.

The Founders' attitude regarding guns—even military issue— was clear. Thomas Jefferson wrote: "No free man shall ever be debarred the use of arms." And George Washington said: "A free people ought not only to be armed," but also, "they should promote such manufactures [sic] as tend to remind them independent of others for essential, particularly military, supplies" (Gun Control, Freeman Report, May 31, 1975, p. 1).

Five monumental things frightened many Americans in 2012 alone, beginning with the Presidents signing of the National Defense Authoriza-

tion to the Senate Armed Services Committee, inferred that the authority that they depended upon for military purposes came not from Congress, as required in the U.S. Constitution, but from unelected UN or NATO authorities. Also, on March 16, President Barack Obama issued his National Defense Resources Preparedness Executive Order authorizing the Executive department to take-over, in case of a national emergency, all civil transportation, including the "movement of persons and property by all modes of transportation ... within the United States." In June, frustrated by his inability to get through Congress a law on immigration he favored, and tired of making law the constitutional way, President Barack Obama, openly defied Congress and the Constitution on June 16, 2012, by ordering a like measure to that previously defeated, implemented anyway.

There has been a slogan for many years that runs like this. "I love my country but I fear my government." Many Americans have come to believe that the real reason that the federal government wants assault weapons banned has less to do with the 16-year-old gunman in Sandy Hook Elementary, and more to do with disarming America so that they cannot resist tyranny. Given the unconstitutional antics noted above perhaps

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